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Pearson Announces Retirement

GREEK REGENT NAMED

King Flees After Abortive Coup Crushed

By PHILIP DOPOULOS

ATHENS (AP) — Greece's military regime today crushed the last remnants of a counter-coup led by King Constantine and began a roundup of suspected royalist officers and rightist politicians.

The 27-year-old king, stripped of his power and with his day-old dream of ousting the military government shattered, fled to Rome with his family.

Col. George Papadopoulos, strong man of the military regime and new premier, announced in a broadcast that Lt.-Gen. George Zoitakis, undersecretary of national defence, had been installed as regent.

Papadopoulos later told reporters the constitutional monarchy would be preserved and the king had voluntarily surrendered his functions.

Papadopoulos said the military government knew nothing in advance of the king's intentions Wednesday when he broadcast an appeal to Greeks to oust the military government and restore freedom.

"And I admit that had we known of his plans we would have tried at the very last minute to enlighten him and prevent him from going astray," he added. "The whole action is inconceivable to us."

Greeks learned late in the day that their king had fled. Papadopoulos' news conference was broadcast by Athens radio reporting the royal family, Premier Constantine Kollias and some officers had flown secretly to Rome.

King 'Welcome' in Denmark

In an early-morning broadcast, Papadopoulos declared that the "anti-nationalist conspiracy has been crushed. The conspirators have been ousted."

Meanwhile, Constantine met in the Greek embassy in Rome with Kollias and loyal officers.

There were various reports that he would go to France, Britain, or Denmark. Since his wife, Anne-Marie, is a daughter of Denmark's King Frederik IX and Queen Ingrid, Denmark was a likely choice.

Prime Minister Jens Otto Krag of Denmark said in Copenhagen the Greek royal family would be welcome if it decided to settle in Denmark.

Less than 24 hours after Constantine called Wednesday on his people to revolt against the ruling colonels in Athens, troops and armored carriers that had ringed the junta headquarters in the Parliament building, were removed. However, armed guards continued to stand outside defence headquarters on the outskirts of the capital.

Military units in northern Greece had been reported siding with the king, but the only reported fighting on the mainland was at Elefsis Air Force base southwest of Athens. Two army captains attempting to board a plane there for northern Greece were reported shot by troops loyal to the government, and clashes between air force and army units followed. Two buildings caught fire in the fighting.

Fighting also was reported on the Greek island of Crete, scene of the only armed resistance to the junta's takeover eight months ago.

Reports said the king was with the 3rd Armored Army Corps, based in the north, when he appealed to the nation to rebel. Athens radio said today the commander of the corps, Gen. George Peridis, was among three army generals arrested by the junta.

Widespread arrests of right-wing politicians also were reported in Athens.

The capital was calm today, and people hurried to work as usual. But the government ordered all banks and the stock exchange closed to avert financial panic.

Reports from northern Greece were sketchy because the area

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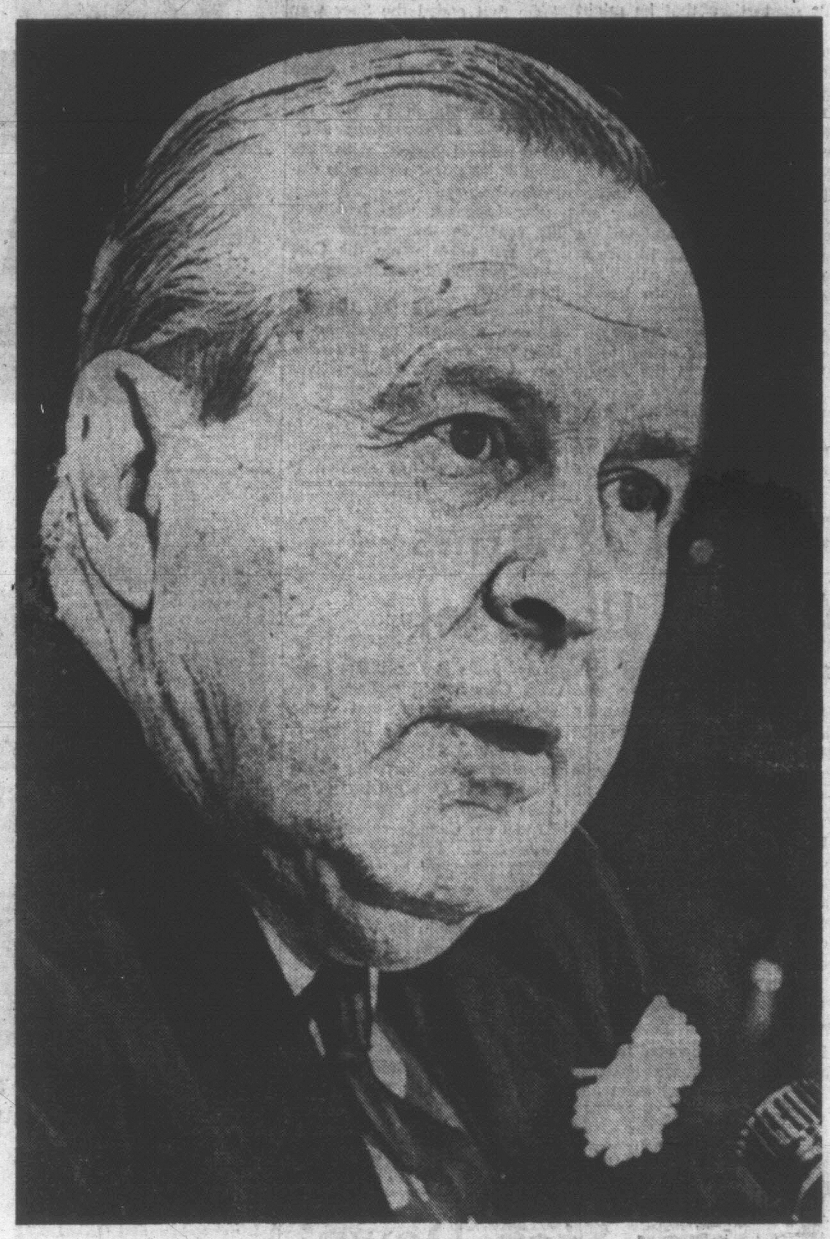

Prime Minister Pearson Talks to Reporters Today

Decision No Surprise To Bennett

Little surprise and not much comment on Prime Minister Pearson's announcement was expressed today by provincial politicians.

Premier Bennett said he was not surprised at all but emphasized it was a Liberal party problem which did not affect the B.C. government because Mr. Pearson remains prime minister.

B.C. Liberal Leader Ray Perrault, in a telephone interview from Kitimat, said "I think history is going to record him as one of the greatest prime ministers of all time, despite any current assessment.

"I regret Mr. Pearson's departure from the scene very much but Liberals will now have to turn their thoughts to the future and I expect the next few months are going to be very exciting indeed."

'SHOULD DISBAND'

Opposition Leader Robert Strachan said the Liberal party should disband, rather than replace Mr. Pearson, in order to give the New Democratic Party a better chance to form the next government.

B.C. Liberal Association president Lawrence Jolivet, of Vancouver, said Mr. Pearson's resignation was not unexpected.

He added his association will avoid expressing a formal view regarding a successor until a leadership meeting is held.

Resources Minister Ray Williston said Mr. Pearson's decision was understandable but regrettable because it could

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Remains as PM Until Convention

OTTAWA (CP) — Prime Minister Pearson announced today he has decided to resign as leader of the Liberal party but will continue as prime minister and party leader until a convention selects a successor.

The 70-year-old prime minister dropped the bombshell announcement at a press conference, reading a letter in which he asked Senator John Nichol, president of the Liberal Federation of Canada, to call a convention.

He said the convention is expected by April and that the new leader will take over almost immediately as prime minister.

Mr. Pearson said he will not be a candidate in the next election but will remain as an MP for the life of this Parliament, which was elected in 1965.

He said he had decided it is "an appropriate time to take this step."

Mr. Pearson's resignation has been rumored for a year or more. But when the announcement came, it caught Ottawa with dramatic suddenness.

Among those who have been prominently mentioned as possible successors are External Affairs Minister Paul Martin, 64, Finance Minister Mitchell Sharp, 56, Transport Minister Paul Hellyer, 44, Health Minister Allan MacEachen, 46, and Registrar-General John Turner, 38.

Other names in speculation are Trade Minister Winters, 57, Manpower Minister Marchand, 49, and Justice Minister Trudeau, 46.

'Convinced Decision is Right'

Mr. Pearson read his letter, which said in part:

"I have reached this decision with great regret, but I am convinced it is the right one."

He said he has been prime minister for almost five years, party leader for 10 years, MP for Algoma East for 19 years, and a public servant for 40 years.

"No leader of a political party could have received more loyalty, support and friendship than I have. For that, and for the opportunity to serve my country through the party, I will always be deeply grateful."

"When the time comes for me to leave the leadership, my wife and I will be retiring to our little rose-covered cottage in Rockliffe," Mr. Pearson said.

The Pearsons bought a home in the suburban community some months ago.

Asked whether he will express any preference about a successor, Mr. Pearson replied:

"I will indicate in no way any preference for a successor and I will have no part in this aspect of party activities.' "

He said that from his discussions with Senator Nichol he understands it will take three or four months to set up a leadership convention.

Senator Nichol said the Liberal leadership convention probably would be held in Ottawa next March or April.

An executive meeting of the Liberal federation had been called for this Sunday in Ottawa and a definite decision would be announced Monday on the time and location of the convention.

Always Intended to Quit This Year

Mr. Pearson, replying to a reporter's question, said he had always intended to hand in his resignation this year.

At first he thought he would step down in the spring or early summer but the "pleasant" pressure of Centennial Year engagements prompted him to put it off until now.

Mr. Pearson concluded the press conference with the words: "Well, c'est la vie." (That's life).

He said he does not have the slightest misgivings that cabinet ministers who may be seeking the leadership will stay in Ottawa as ministers and MPs to carry on the government's work.

At another point, he said he does not want to scoop his own autobiography.

He and John Diefenbaker might meet each other on the daily walks in suburban Rockcliffe to discuss how their respective memoires were progressing, he said jokingly.

He recalled that his first motion as Liberal leader in the Commons—in January, 1958—was not the high spot of his career.

"I had no place to go but up," he said.

The motion in question was one in which he called on the Conservatives to resign and hand back government reins to the Liberals without an election.

Mr. Pearson said with a chuckle that he and Mr. Diefenbaker might be members on the same parliamentary committees.

He said he expects to be active in Canada's political affairs in the next three or four months, particularly affairs dealing with constitutional questions.

Mr. Pearson said he believes the process of constitutional change has begun. He hoped it would continue to strengthen national unity and every other aspect of Canadian life.

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Greek Royal Family May Fly to Denmark

ROME (Reuters) — King Constantine of Greece rested at the Greek embassy here today as speculation mounted that he and Queen Anne-Marie would later fly to Denmark following his abortive attempt to topple the military regime in Athens.

The king arrived before dawn with his family and former Greek prime minister Constantine Kollias hours after he was deprived of his powers by the military junta.

The king called off a scheduled press conference.

Greek Consul Inades Moutsios left the embassy in a hurry and, asked if the king would stay in Italy for long, replied "I don't think so."

The plane which brought the king from Greece stood ready for departure at Ciampino and there was speculation it was being prepared for a flight to Denmark, whose king is the father of Queen Anne-Marie.

An Italian foreign ministry spokesman said "for us he is a guest of Italy—I am not saying of the Italian government."

"Everybody has a right to ask for political asylum—from the king to the last Greek citizen. It is not a problem for us, but it seems to be a problem for him," the Italian spokesman added.

The dramatic night flight of the royal family came as the Athens government announced the failure of an attempt by Constantine to topple the junta which took power in a coup April 21.

The 27-year-old king's royal gamble started 24 hours earlier when he went to Larissa in Northern Greece and appealed to the people and the armed forces to help him restore parliamentary democracy.

Constantine, looking wan as he stepped out of his plane in pre-dawn darkness, blinked frequently, apparently to hold back tears.

Asked if he had any statement to make, the king told reporters "None at the moment."

Another plane from Greece followed 1½ hours later carrying senior Greek officers and luggage.

WIRE BRIEFS

Drug Price Curbs?

OTTAWA (CP)—The government plans to introduce legislation today aimed at lowering consumer drug prices by lessening the patent protection enjoyed by the drug manufacturers, informants said today.

Ships Collide

YERSEKE, The Netherlands (Reuters)—The 40,500-ton Bermudan oil tanker Lord Strathcona collided in dense fog in the Westerscheldt estuary near here today with the 1,420-ton Norwegian vessel Balblom.

First reports said the Balblom was seriously damaged above the waterline and that both vessels anchored.

No Recognition

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States is withholding recognition of Greece's military regime, and officials indicated today the administration will probably consult wth its allies in NATO before a decision is made.

Bombers Hit Hanoi

MOSCOW (Reuters) — The Russian news agency Tass today reported that 50 American planes raided residential areas of the North Vietnamese capital of Hanoi, dropping delayed action anti-personnel bombs. Tass gave no details of any injuries or damage.

Arms Talks Adjourn

GENEVA (AP) — The 17-nation disarmament conference began a five-week recess today. It will resume discussions on a treaty to ban the spread of nuclear weapons Jan. 18.

Students Strike

ROCHESTER, N.Y. (AP)—Students went on strike at the University of Rochester today to protest the suspension of 23 graduate students who participated in a sit-in demonstration against a Dow Chemical Co. recruiting team last month.

TEXT OF LETTER

OTTAWA (CP) — Text of Prime Minister Pearson's letter today to Senator John Nichol, president of the Liberal Federation of Canada:

I wish to inform you of my decision, taken after lengthy and serious consideration, to resign from the leadership of our party. I feel that this is the appropriate time for me to take this step.

I do not need to tell you that I have reached this decision with great regret but I am convinced that it is the right one. I will soon have been in public service for 40 years, 19 of those years as member of Parliament for Algoma East, and, for the last 10, I have had the great honor and privilege to be the leader of the Liberal party; and for nearly five years the prime minister of our country.

No leader of a political party could have received more loyalty, support and friendship than I have. For that, and for the opportunity to serve my country through the party, I will always be deeply grateful.

I would like to ask you, as president of the Liberal Federation of Canada, to take at once the necessary steps to organize a national convention at an appropriate place and time. Until that convention has chosen my successor I will, of course, continue to serve as leader of the party.

Yours sincerely,
L. B. Pearson,
Prime Minister.

TORNADO HITS SYDNEY, MANY HOUSES DAMAGED

SYDNEY, Australia (AP)—A tornado ripped into the Sydney Harbor suburb of Mosman today, leaving many persons injured and hundreds of houses damaged.

Police said they were unable to give full details immediately.

Police Commissioner Norman Allen described the scene as "bad as London in the blitz", with roofs being torn off scores of houses.

NATO Fears Split Over Greek Crisis

BRUSSELS (AP) — Hurried behind-the-scenes moves were made today in an effort to keep the new Greek crisis from splitting the North Atlantic Alliance.

At least one foreign minister —Hans Tabor of Denmark—at the year-end review session of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization was reported intent on bringing up the issue at the windup session.

British Foreign Secretary George Brown intervened personally with Tabor to keep the crisis from formally coming onto the floor of the secret ministerial session. Brown was reported to feel that as long as information from Athens is incomplete the counter-coup attempt and its consequences for the NATO flank nation should not become the subject of formal debate.

But Brown was reported to have assured Tabor that should the crisis call for special allied examination he might be prepared to associate Britain with any Danish move in this direction.

The military regime in Greece has been of constant concern to Socialist governments of the alliance, which take the view that it is following policies inconsistent with NATO aims and purposes. Both Denmark and Britain are under Socialist regimes.

'RECOGNITION RECONSIDERED'

LONDON (UPI) — Prime Minister Harold Wilson said today the government will consider withdrawing its recognition of the Greek government in the wake of King Constantine's flight to exile.

Wilson told the House of Commons British recognition "no longer appears to be valid because the head of state to which our ambassador is accredited is no longer in Greece."

CHILDREN OF ASIA FUND

Everyone Grateful for Soapsuds

By KATHRINE THOMAS

There's an unusual boys' club in Seoul, Korea.

It's run for shoeshine boys.

Dr. Lotta Hitschmanova, executive director of the Unitarian Service Committee, vividly recalls meeting three of the members.

"After lunch I went to the common washroom in our USC headquarters at the Social Service Centre and suddenly found myself in the presence of three boys, about 17 years old, none of them with a stitch on, black from head to toe with dirt and dust and all earnestly scrubbing themselves with a big cake of soap.

"I finally realized that these were the shoeshine boys getting ready to meet me. And sure enough, an hour later, shining and clean, they were introduced to me as members of our Mapo Shoe Shine Club."

Dr. Hitschmanova explained that there are now nearly 10,000 shoeshine boys in Korea, most of them born during or after the Korean War, who missed out on their schooling through lack of opportunity.

"Their day begins very early as they try to catch anyone who might need a shoeshine on the way to the office," she says. "Every morning each boy takes the place allotted by his gang leader.

"The boys earn three cents for one shoeshine job and need at least four customers before they can leave to go and buy a little rice for breakfast. In the afternoon they might get another 10 clients apiece but needless to say they're always hungry and ragged."

There's been a large rise in juvenile delinquency in Korea and the shoeshine club at the Social Service Centre in Seoul is the USC's latest pilot project in the field of social welfare.

"What they ask for most," says Dr. Hitschmanova, "is a hot bath, something to eat, clean clothes, and a job. But more than anything else — they want a chance to go to school."

The boys meet every Thursday afternoon with a USC group worker to talk out their problems and the USC is planning to give them meal tickets for a nearby restaurant.

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Y' might say o' Constantine thet he flew th' coup.

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Seems by th' time Mike got a second look at th' premiers, he'd had it.

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It's easy t' see who is scramblin' fer the leadership, an' where, an' when, an' how. Th' big mystery is why.

U.S. 'Space Bus' Can Hurl Missiles at Several Cities

DALLAS, Tex. (AP) — A defence department researcher says the United States has developed a space vehicle that can hurl nuclear warheads at several cities.

Dr. John S. Foster Jr., director of defence research and engineering told a dinner of the Dallas chapter of the Association of the U.S. Army and the Dallas Council on World Affairs Wednesday that the "space bus" would counter additional missiles deployed by the Soviet Union.

After the main booster has cut off the bus can make minute adjustments of its speed and direction, and after each adjustment can eject one of the several re-entry vehicles with nuclear warheads that it carries, Foster said.

COULD ALSO HIT ONE

Thus, each warhead would be delivered on a trajectory to a different city, or if desired, all could be delivered within one city.

The Poseidon, a new missile planned for deployment on Polaris nuclear submarines, will carry the space bus.

Foster said a worldwide military satellite communication system with transportable terminals also has been deployed. The system can be moved to any spot in the world so that a local commander can maintain continuous and private communication with the Pentagon or White House.

He said about $400,000,000 will be spent on basic research in fields important to defence and more than $8,000,000,000 will be spent in actual defence research.

'Artillery Shotgun' New Cong Killer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The U.S. Army has started using what amounts to huge artillery shotgun shells against the Communists in South Vietnam, sources report.

New artillery rounds fired in regula 105-millimetre howitzer pieces spray thousands of dart-shaped steel shafts over broad areas of jungle or open territory.

One well-aimed round can kill hundreds of troops massing for an attack.

Military men report the weapon has been used with lethal effectiveness in such actions as Communist charges against American artillery positions below the demilitarized zone separating North and South Vietnam.

"I've seen reports of enemy soldiers actually being nailed to trees by these things," one officer commented.

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was cut off from Athens by road and by telephone. But Athens radio announced today it had restored radio communications with stations in the north.

It was not immediately known what would happen to military units—reported to include parts of the air force—that had sided with the king. The junta was reported offering the dissident units an amnesty in an attempt to avoid bloodshed and restore unity.

Premier Constantine Kollias, the civilian government head named by the colonels who seized power last April 21, accompanied the royal family to Rome after Papadopoulos supplanted him.

Papadopoulos, the new government chief in name as well as in fact, broadcast thanks to the Greek armed forces and Greek people for standing by his government.

"You have saved Greece and its unity," he said. "You proved worthy and acted with determination that surpassed bravery. . . . You have protected with self-sacrifice the meaning of true freedom and healthy democracy."

The April coup caught Constantine by surprise. Although remaining as a figurehead, he made clear he regarded the junta as a disastrous stopgap.

Observers in London believe the timing of his attempted counter-coup was influenced by the junta's reported efforts to preserve military rule in a new draft constitution due to be announced Friday and by the recent announcement from Paris by former premier Constantine Caramanlis that he was ready to return to Greece to head a democratic civilian government.

The king also was believed to have hoped to take advantage of widespread discontent in the army over the junta's withdrawal of about 12,000 Greek troops from Cyprus under Turkish pressure. Greek troops returning from the island were reported to have landed secretly in northern Greece, where they could have joined forces with the king.

Puffy eyed and walking unsteadily, the king arrived in Rome in a royal plane at 4:55 a.m. With him came his 21-year-old wife Queen Anne-Marie, a former Danish princess; their two young children, Crown Prince Paul and Princess Alexia; Queen Mother Frederika, long a centre of political turmoil in Greece; Princess Irene, the king's sister, and Kollias.

The refugees went to the Greek embassy.

NATO Delegate Loses Job

The crisis caught three Greek government ministers attending the ministers' conference of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization in Brussels, and one lost his job. Foreign Minister Panayiotis Pipinelis and Finance Minister Adamantios Androutsopoulos will retain their posts. But Lt.-Gen. Gregory Spantidakis was dropped from the post of deputy premier and defence minister. Papadopoulos took over the defence ministry.

As the last remnants of resistance to the military regime collapsed today, it became apparent that Constantine's attempt at a counter-coup was foiled at the last minute by men loyal to the Athens government.

The king's attempt was scheduled to start at noon Wednesday, beginning in northern Greece with the support of the powerful 3rd Corps.

But the military regime in Athens was apparently tipped off and took immediate counter-measures.

Informed sources gave this account of what occurred in Salonika, the largest city in the north, and at Kavalla, in northeastern Greece, where the king was with forces loyal to him .

About 10 a.m., members of the regime in Athens received reports that the king would make an attempt to oust them.

Troops immediately ringed all government buildings in Salonika, including the telecommunications centre and the radio station. All phone lines were cut, isolating northern Greece from the rest of the country. The king's forces were unable to call up any royalist units in the Athens area to rise up against the junta.

The king and his entire family flew to Kavalla early Wednesday morning from an air base near his estate at Tatoi, 26 miles from Athens. He went immediately to the radio station to record an address to the nation urging it to stand by his side as he attempted to "restore democracy and freedom."

Air Force Radio Was Used

The taped address was flown by royalist air force officers to Larissa, in central Greece, where the Greek Air Force has most of its units at a large NATO air base. It was broadcast over a shortwave band.

Most Greeks were unable to pick it up. But later, about 5 p.m., air force jets appeared over Salonika and began dropping thousands of copies of the king's address. To most Salonikans, it was the first indication of what was happening.

Meanwhile, troops loyal to the Athens government had taken control of key points in and around the city .

The junta's minister of northern Greece, Brig. Dimitrios Patilis, was seriously ill with a kidney disorder, but left his hospital bed, put on his uniform and took over the 3rd Army headquarters in Salonika. From there he deposed the 3rd Corps commander, Gen. Peridis, and began announcing over the local radio station that he was in full control of the situation.

He also called on the 1st and 2nd Army Corps to restore communications immediately with the defence headquarters in Athens and gave orders to stop any units not loyal to the Athens government from entering Salonika.

While the king, in Kavalla with his followers, was trying to figure out who was with them and who was against them, the colonels in Athens solidified their position by getting commanding officers of the Greek Army to make loyalty statements.

The king and his family had taken over the Astir Hotel in Kavalla. He put on his marshal's uniform and took command, but the reports coming in were disheartening, especially from Salonika.

In another taped address broadcast later over Larissa shortwave radio, the king said that Col. Papadopoulis, Brig. Stylianos Patakos, Col. Gregory Makarezos and Gen. Zoitakis were dismissed from his government. But they continued to call on all the armed forces to stand by them.

Students Voice Support for King

The king claimed in his broadcast that all units of the armed forces in Central and Northern Greece were loyal to him. He omitted the forces in the Athens area, hoping they would eventually rally to him.

Wednesday afternoon, a small group of students gathered on the campus of Salonika University, shouting "Democracy! Democracy!" and demonstrating in support of the monarch. Police quickly dispersed them without violence.

At 3 a.m. today, 17 hours after the king's attempt was launched, tanks loyal to the military junta entered Salonika to support the troops already at key points in the city. Salonika remained calm throughout.

After midnight Wednesday night it apparently became obvious to the king that the support he thought he had was not enough. He started planning his departure and went to his wife and his mother and told them of his decision.

The family drove to nearby Kavalla airport, boarded the royal plane and flew direct to Rome.

"Sure NATO's a great idea. How else would we get to visit Brussels?"

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"Very much thank you," they kept repeating in English to Dr. Hitschmanova.

A small investment could help to rescue these boys before it is too late.

Won't you help share with these needy youngsters by giving to the Times Christmas Appeal.

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Ship Captain Held Prisoner In Mutiny

ROTTERDAM (AP) — The crew of the Liberian freighter African Monarch locked the captain in the wheelhouse today, saying he threatened them, the Dutch minesweeper Rhenen reported.

The African Monarch, of 7,298 tons, was six miles off the Dutch Hook of Holland when the trouble broke out. The captain asked for assistance.

After consultations with the Liberian embassy at The Hague, the government sent the Rhenen with its crew, a marine officer, 10 marines and the Liberian consul.

The Rhenen radioed:

"Our men are aboard the African Monarch. They talked with some crew members of the vessel who said they were being threatened by their captain.

"The crew members said 'We locked him plus two other men in the wheelhouse. The captain is armed,' "

The ship was en route from Rostock, East Germany, to Rotterdam. Its crew of about 30 were reported to be mostly Italian.

No Violence Signs

PLANO, Tex. (AP)—An autopsy disclosed no marks of violence on the body of Evalyn McLean, 25, who was once among heirs to the famed Hope diamond. But Justice of the Peace B. B. Carpenter added that it would be two to three weeks before the cause of death could be pinpointed. (See story page 9.)

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He said he does not believe his resignation will weaken his position as prime minister at the federal-provincial constitutional conference in February.

Mr. Pearson said the Commons will reassemble after the Christmas holidays in the regular way at a date to be discussed between government House Leader MacEachen and the house leaders of the opposition parties.

To suggestions that he might be inhibited in making cabinet changes or appointments in the months until a convention meets, Mr. Pearson replied that "I'm in no way inhibited in making any changes or appointments" as a result of his decision to step down.

The prime minister looked bright and cheerful sitting behind a table on the stage of the new press conference theatre in the National Press Building, across the street from Parliament Hill.

A surprise announcement that the press conference was to be held was posted in the Parliamentary Press Gallery about an hour before the event. It gave no inkling of the subject.

Lester Bowles Pearson took over the Liberal leadership at a party convention Jan. 16, 1958, following the resignation of Louis St. Laurent.

Seven months earlier, the Liberal government had lost the 1957 election to the Conservatives under John Diefenbaker who formed a minority government.

Mr. Pearson's election as Mr. St. Laurent's replacement came only 36 days after he received the 1957 Nobel Peace Prize for his work in creation of the United Nations Emergency Force that ended the Suez war in Egypt.

He barely had time to settle in as opposition leader when Mr. Diefenbaker called the snap election of March 31, 1958, in which the Conservatives shattered the Liberals with the greatest electoral victory in Canadian history.

The Liberals, who had won 105 seats in the narrow 1957 loss, fell to 49 while the Conservatives rolled up an unprecedented 208.

For four years Mr. Pearson directed a careful rebuilding of his party and in the 1962 election forced the Conservatives back into a minority position. In 1963 the Diefenbaker government lost a confidence vote in the Commons and was forced to call another spring election in which the Liberals scored a minority win.

Mr. Pearson called another election in November, 1965, in an attempt to gain a majority of the 265 Commons seats for his party but again fell short of it.

There had never been much doubt about Mr. Pearson's eventual move to the leadership. In nine years as minister of external affairs he became internationally known as a world trouble-shooter and his famous polka-dot bow tie and boyish grin were almost national symbols.

He spent 21 years in the diplomatic service before the then prime minister, Mackenzie King, appointed him to the cabinet in 1948.

Shortly after Mr. Pearson was sworn in as a cabinet member, a reporter asked him when he had become a Liberal.

"Today," he replied.

He swept the 1958 leadership convention easily on the first ballot, defeating Paul Martin who had been Liberal health minister for years, and took on the external affairs portfolio when Mr. Pearson formed his first government in April of 1963.

Refusal of Arms Angers Portugal

BRUSSELS (CP) — Portugal, a NATO ally, has accused Canada of refusing to supply military equipment to the Portuguese armed forces even though Canada does provide assistance to Tanzania, an emerging African state.

External Affairs Minister Martin said in a statement Foreign Minister Franco Nogueira made the accusation during a NATO council session Wednesday, Martin said the reason for the refusal of arms is because of a United Nations arms limitation imposed against Portugal.

Portugal was reported to have stated that Canada was asked to provide military equipment and spare parts for military aircraft. Canada had requested the usual assurances that such equipment would be used only within the geographic limits of the alliance for purposes of the alliance and Portugal had given these assurances.

Even so, Canada rejected the request, the Portuguese minister is reported to have said. Portugal could only draw two conclusions: Either Canada had no confidence in its NATO ally or did not wish to co-operate with Portugal.

He also is reported to have said that Canada is the only NATO country which has refused supplies even though Canada provides aid to Tanzania without any guarantees.

Little Libau Demands Minister Step Down

LIBAU, Man. (CP)—Resignation of Postmaster-General Cote was demanded today in Libau's continued flap over who should handle the mail.

An accompanying demand in a petition being circulated by a citizens' group is that the government build a separate post office building for the town's 230 population.

The petition says the postmaster-general should resign because he "acted in defiance of a large majority of the people of Libau," in naming Ewald Greening to succeed acting postmaster Ray Gilson.

The appointment moved the post office from Mr. Gilson's grocery store to Mr. Greening's store across the street in this community 38 miles northeast of Winnipeg.

The transfer was delayed by townspeople who prevented postal officials from reaching Mr. Gilson with the necessary transfer papers. When the changeover was finally accomplished, citizens reacted by hiring Mr. Gilson to handle their mail privately—a plan that soon ended with a post office ruling that it was illegal. The ex-postmaster bowed to the ruling.

Thatcher Won't Seek PM's Job

REGINA (CP)—Saskatchewan political leaders today expressed little surprise about Prime Minister Pearson's announcement he was resigning as leader of the Liberal Party.

Premier W. Ross Thatcher immediately laid to rest any speculation that he might seek to succeed Mr. Pearson.

"It is only two months since the people of Saskatchewan re-elected me to lead this government for another four years," he said. "I regard this as my first and sole responsibility and for that reason, I will give no consideration whatsoever to any other political position."

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WEATHER SYNOPSIS

A weak disturbance will give cloudy weather to the northern half of B.C. and some rain is expected on the north coast. Temperatures will also be a little milder in the north.

The ridge of high pressure will remain over southern B.C. and the skies will remain sunny and temperatures cold.

Some cloud will drift into southern B.C. from northern areas but it is expected to be quite thin and patchy.

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Victoria: Mainly sunny Friday. Cold. Winds light at times northeast 15. Low tonight and high Friday, 32 and 43.

Vancouver and Georgia Strait: Mainly sunny Friday. Cold overnight. Winds light. Low tonight and high Friday at Vancouver, 28 and 43; Nanaimo, 23 and 45.

West Coast: Cloudy in the northern part Friday. Elsewhere mainly sunny. Cold. Winds light. Low tonight and high Friday at Tofino, 28 and 45.

TEMPERATURES
Yesterday

	Max.	Min.	Prep.
Victoria	41	32	--
Normal	45	38	--

One Year Ago

Victoria	52	44	.48

Across the Continent

Palm Springs	50	33	--
St. John's	37	33	.16
Halifax	49	34	--
Montreal	42	31	--
Ottawa	41	27	--
Toronto	42	29	--
Port Arthur	23	9	--
Winnipeg	11	— 3	--
Regina	9	— 7	.01
Saskatoon	8	— 7	.04
Medicine Hat	18	— 9	--
Lethbridge	19	— 5	--
Calgary	17	1	--
Edmonton	18	3	--
Kamloops	26	13	--
Penticton	30	17	--
Vancouver	40	26	--
Kimberley	18	— 7	--
New Westminster	40	26	--
Prince Rupert	35	31	--
Prince George	10	6	--
Fort St. John	16	7	--
Nanaimo	42	25	--
Whitehorse	37	33	--
Seattle	38	28	--
Portland	39	30	--
Chicago	38	23	--
Los Angeles	49	40	--
New York	58	46	--

World temperatures (based on observations taken at midnight PST): London 37, Paris 41, Rome 41, Berlin 36, Stockholm 30, Moscow 5, Madrid 34, Tokyo 41.

U.S. weather (temperatures for Wednesday): Anchorage 45, 32; Las Vegas 35, 28; Phoenix 48, 35; Washington 61, 41; Honolulu 78, 67; Miami 79, 76; Detroit 43, 28.

CITY'S WEATHER RECORD

Sunshine, Dec.	33.0 hrs.
Last Dec.	15.7 hrs.
Normal (30 years)	27.9 hrs.
Sunshine, 1967	2,149.3 hrs.
Last Year	2,066.7 hrs.
Normal (30 years)	2,168.6 hrs.
Precip., Dec.	1.83 ins.
Last Dec.	1.80 ins.
Normal (30 years)	2.24 ins.
Precip., 1967	29.41 ins.
Last Year	20.77 ins.
Normal (30 years)	24.56 ins.

Sunrise, Sunset Friday
Sunrise 7:59 Sunset 16:18

TIDES AT VICTORIA
(Pacific Standard Time)

	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.
	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.
14	10.50	9.3	20.00	1.9	----	----	----	----
15	10.45	9.5	20.35	1.4	----	----	----	----
16	11.05	9.8	21.45	1.1	----	----	----	----
17	11.35	9.9	21.45	1.0	----	----	----	----
18	12.25	10.0	22.20	1.1	----	----	----	----

TIDES AT FULFORD HARBOUR
(Pacific Standard Time)

	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.
	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.
14	05.30	10.6	09.25	9.9	13.10	10.6	21.25	2.2
15	06.00	11.2	10.20	10.2	13.15	10.6	21.50	1.7
16	06.50	11.6	11.15	10.4	13.45	10.6	22.20	1.4
17	07.20	11.8	12.05	10.4	14.35	10.6	23.00	1.3
18	08.00	11.9	12.50	10.3	14.45	10.4	23.35	1.3

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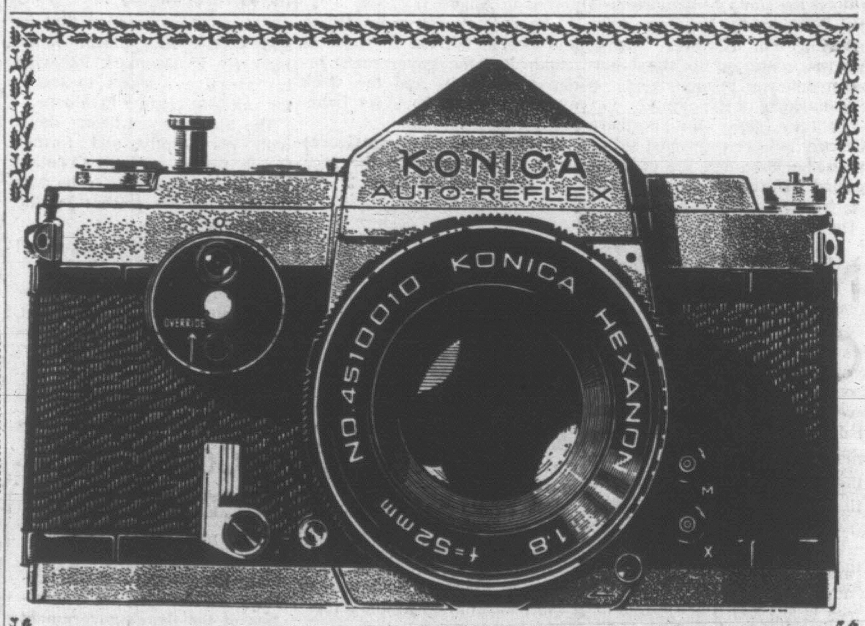

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ENGLISH MUST ACCEPT 'MINIMUM' PROPOSALS

QUEBEC (CP)—Manpower Minister Jean Marchand said Wednesday night the future of Confederation depends on the acceptance of bilingualism by English Canadians.

Mr. Marchand spoke before members of his federal riding association, where his targets ranged from Quebec separatists through President de Gaulle to the City of Ottawa's attitude toward bilingualism.

The manpower minister said nothing in the first volume of the royal commission report on bilingualism and biculturalism is unreasonable.

The report urged, among other things, official bilingualism in the federal government administration in Ontario, New Brunswick and Quebec.

Mr. Marchand described the report's recommendations as "a minimum."

He said at one point:

"I am personally convinced that if English-speaking Canadians are not ready to accept the recommendations . . . then I would find that there is no solution in the federal system."

MARCHAND
. . . hits separatists

The leader of the Quebec wing of the federal Liberal party said French and English Canadians share the common problem of being dominated economically by the United States. The most effective way of counter-balancing this American influence was by working together rather than by separating.

He attacked separatists as "outdated dreamers" who are struggling to free Quebec from "a British Empire which is dead and which no longer bothers anyone."

The real problems included training Quebec youth to adjust to technological change.

He poked fun at the French president by saying Gen. de Gaulle had come to Quebec urging Quebecers to liberty while in reality in Canada "there is more liberty than in France."

FRENCH E.C.M. VETO UPHELD

BRUSSELS (Reuters) — Foreign ministers of the five Common Market countries favoring early negotiations on Britain's membership application today agreed that these could only start with France's consent, authoritative sources said.

The sources said the "friendly five" agreed at a breakfast meeting that a decision one way or the other must be reached at the Common Market ministerial council meeting here Monday and Tuesday.

The foreign ministers of West Germany, Belgium, The Netherlands, Luxemburg and Italy agreed that any decision to open negotiations with Britain must be unanimous.

They therefore dropped any consideration which would lead to an opening of negotations without French agreement, as many experts believed would be possible under the Rome Treaty which established the Common Market.

Should unanimity be impossible—as appeared probable because of French resistance—then the application would remain in effect if that was what Britain wanted. In this case, a fresh look at the problem would have to be taken later.

Marchers Clog Paris

PARIS (CP) — Tens of thousands of chanting, singing French strikers poured through the centre of Paris Wednesday in a massive demonstration against cuts in social-security benefits.

The march was part of a nationwide 24-hour strike by about 2,000,000 workers called jointly by the two largest French labor unions—the Communist-led Confederation Generale du Travail and the left-wing Confederation Francaise Democratique du Travail.

Supplies of gas and electricity were cut throughout France, auto plants were closed, newspaper presses stopped and longshoremen refused to unload ships in northern ports.

Strikers generally limited cuts in power to a token two hours in the morning.

OUT OF THE JUNGLE?

Senate Split on Death Penalty

OTTAWA (CP)—Angry words flew in the Senate Wednesday over the government's bill to limit the death penalty, as the debate acquired the same vehemence that had marked the bill's earlier passage through the House of Commons.

The capital punishment bill was expected to reach a vote on second reading, approval in principle, in the Senate today.

It would eliminate the death penalty for all but murderers of policemen or prison guards for a five-year trial period.

"Let us prove that we have come out of the jungle," Senator J. Harper Prowse (L—Alberta) said in appealing for support of the bill. "Let us show that we have some hope for the future of mankind."

Senator Gunnar Thorvaldson (PC—Manitoba) said Canada is witnessing its worst period of gangsterism and "it would be utter folly for Parliament to relinquish the community's final weapon in its war upon crime, namely, the death penalty."

Senator Hartland de M. Molson (Ind—Quebec) described the capital punishment bill as "an unsatisfactory compromise on principle."

Senator Thorvaldson said the consensus expressed by the House of Commons in April, 1966, when it voted to keep the death penalty, "is still the consensus of the Canadian people."

Now the Commons had committed an act of folly in reversing itself only 18 months later.

Senator Prowse asked what could be done to a murderer that would restore life to the victim. Senator Jacques Flynn (PC—Quebec) challenged him to "come down to earth." Senator Thorvaldson asked him what he would do with the murderer.

"Let the mob cry, because we are beginning to understand something of the nastiness that makes people hang people," Senator Prowse said.

DEATH A DETERRENT

Senator Joseph A. Sullivan (PC—Ontario) maintained that the death penalty is a deterrent, and a more effective one than life imprisonment.

"Prisoners condemned to death will do their utmost to have their sentences reduced to life imprisonment, although this might mean long periods in solitary confinement and the like."

Senator John M. MacDonald (PC—Nova Scotia) said putting murderers to death is no way to protect the sanctity of human life. He had no sympathy for murderers but executing them lessened the "moral fibre of the nation" and lessened respect for the state.

Senator M. Wallace McCutcheon (PC—Ontario) said he favors full elimination of the death penalty and, like Senator Molson, is unhappy about the compromise embodied in the present bill. He would vote for it, however, as it was likely to be the only step towards abolition for a long time.

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'NOT TOO HIGH A PRICE'

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MONTREAL (CP) — If Canadians do not learn to live together according to the recommendations in the first report of the royal commission on bilingualism and biculturalism, Canada will break spart and eventually disappear into the North American whole, a member of the commission said Wednesday.

Jean-Louis Gagnon told a service club the report's recommendations on bilingualism will allow French- and English-speaking Canadians to live according to the dictates of their respective cultures and at the same time work for the common good.

The report recommended that Ontario and New Brunswick officially became bilingual provinces in addition to Quebec. It called for the creation in other provinces of bilingual districts where 10 per cent of the population spoke either English or French.

Replying to fears that the proposed districts could degenerate into cultural ghettoes, Mr. Gagnon said that, on the contrary, both language groups would in this manner be in a better position to adjust to the necessity of bilingualism in daily living.

Mr. Gagnon said the $7,000,000 cost of the first report is equivalent to four 10-cent chocolate bars for every Canadian.

While he agreed that the sum was more than had ever been spent on a royal commission inquiry in Canada, he said four candy bars per capita is not too great a price to pay for preservation of a country.

"As for the report being two years late, I personally don't believe the country would have been ready or willing to accept the findings in 1965," he said.

VIET TRUCE PERIODS CUT BACK BY U.S.

CAN THO (Reuters)—South Vietnam and its allies have agreed to cut the Christmas and truce periods to four from eight days this year, Vice-President Nguyen Cao Ky said here today.

South Vietnam, the U.S. and their allies last year agreed to a four-day truce at the Lunar New Year—Tet—and two days each for Christmas and New Year's.

Ky said the South Vietnamese government agreed on a 24-hour truce for Christmas and New Year's and a 48-hour truce for Tet, the lunar new year celebrated by the Vietnamese.

This was less than one-third of the 13 truce days announced by the Viet Cong last month on the National Liberation Front radio.

CIVILIAN CASUALTIES HIGH

Viet Deaths Soar During Bloody Week

SAIGON (AP) — The anti-Communist allied commands in South Vietnam announced casualty figures today showing that last week was one of the costliest of the year for their forces. Civilian deaths attributed to the Communists were the highest ever recorded.

During only one other week this year was the southern allied military death toll higher.

The statistics underlined the war's present pattern: The guerrilla war of attrition continues while isolated pitched battles in remote areas become less frequent but more intense.

The allied commands said 595 of their men were killed last week—380 South Vietnamese, 194 Americans and 21 South Koreans and Australians.

South Vietnamese headquarters said 1,818 Communist troops were killed last week, about the average for the last several months. But it was nearly double the total reported the week before.

The highest total of southern allied dead this year was in one week of May, when 628 men were killed. Statistics are not accurate for such previous years as 1964 and 1965, when the South Vietnamese were sometimes losing whole battalions in bloody battles. However, last week's losses were certainly among the highest since that period, when the government's strength was at low ebb.

VILLAGERS SLAIN

The military losses were paralleled by the highest recorded civilian toll of the war, 232 dead. This included 114 Montagnard villagers slain in the Viet Cong massacre at the village of Dakson, but U.S. officials have estimated the death toll there probably was around 200.

The war communiques today reported more isolated, deadly battles with little apparent pattern. There was fighting along the Cambodian frontier and in the northern provinces below the demilitarized zone, coupled with isolated Viet Cong assaults, shellings and the sabotage of a bridge on the Saigon-Dalat highway.

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Twenty Million Partners

THE PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN the federal government and a consortium of 20 oil and mining companies for wildcat oil exploration in the Arctic areas of Canada has evoked great enthusiam in Ottawa and among the oil and mining company officials involved. The taxpayer, who sees $9 millions of his hard-earned cash going into this highly-speculative venture, may be more tempted to ask: Was this investment really necessary?

It is not lack of faith in the northland which will prompt this question, although millions of dollars have already been expended by private interests in unsuccessful searches for Arctic oil. Rather it is a matter of whether this is a proper sphere for government activity, particularly at a time when the government is so hard up for cash. Northern Development Minister Arthur Laing might consider if the money could not be better spent on his department's wards, the Indians and the Eskimos, who are getting short shrift as a result of the government's budget cut-backs.

A case can be made, perhaps, for joint private and public investment in enterprises where there is an urgent necessity to establish an industry or find and exploit a resource. This is not the case with the great Arctic oil hunt. Any oil discovered in Canada's far north would face enormous difficulties of development and transportation. As reserves for the future, Arctic oil fields would have a certain value, but there is little prospect that Canadian taxpayers would receive a dividend on their investment for many years.

There is also a question of why the government chose to take a minority interest with partners whose own investments will be largely written off as tax losses. It is precisely because of the risky nature of oil and mineral exploration that such concessions as tax holidays and depletion allowances are granted. Oil companies, as a rule, will explore any area where there is a chance of making a strike which can be commercially exploited. The fact that this consortium—which includes a number of the biggest names in the Canadian petroleum and mining industry— had to have the government put up nearly half the cash for the project should have told Ottawa something.

If there is justification for this donation of taxpayers' money—beyond the generalized one of "developing the north"—Mr. Laing should make it public.

Apres le Grand Charles

WESTERN NATIONS, INFURiated or insulted by General Charles de Gaulle, who believe that time and mortality will bring them relief, may be operating on a faulty premise, according to an article written for The Christian Science Monitor by M. Pierre Viansson-Ponte, political news editor of Le Monde of Paris. De Gaulle will pass from the scene, he says, but there is no assurance that Gaullism will perish with him—at least not for some time.

"Put simply," M. Viansson-Ponte writes, "whoever General de Gaulle's successors are, the brutal, disagreeable, provocative manner which he puts into his gestures and his remarks would be softened. French diplomacy would be more amiable. But its general orientation would not change, at all events not immediately."

The French people have been deeply innoculated by certain de Gaullisms. He gave them political stability. They have learned to appreciate it and it should survive after the President has gone. He fostered in them an appreciation of national independence which shows no sign of waning, and he has involved them in economic planning which cannot be jettisoned.

M. Viansson-Ponte says that "the president's efforts . . . have tended toward creating the irreversible, toward binding his successors firmly in advance." And he adds the warning: "It would be a mistake also to believe that General de Gaulle's disappearance from the political scene, his passing or his retirement, would immediately entail an agonizing reappraisal of his foreign policy. For here, too, more than the will of one man is involved."

Le Monde's editor foresees no swift reversal of the bad climate now enveloping Franco-American relations, nor the disappearance of objections to the building of a "United States of Europe" on a federal model. For the latter, he does, however, predict a change in the form of objections.

Even men as well-informed on the issue as M. Viansson-Ponte could, of course, be in error. But his assessment of the immense influence of President de Gaulle on France and on his possible successors offers scant comfort to westerners who may assume that they have only to wait for the inevitable in order to find a more conciliatory and amenable France. It could be a long sitout.

The Intangible Imports

JAPAN HAS JOINED THE VARIous countries now deeply concerned about the "brain drain." It finds, from a recent survey, that one in 10 of its young people wants to live abroad. It reports a substantial increase in emigration during the last two or three years and recognizes the loss of valued skills among those who depart.

But the Japanese list some profit to balance this loss. They see their scholars and scientists who follow opportunity across the ocean—mainly to the United States, Brazil and Canada — as unofficial ambassadors with an opportunity to improve the image of Japan.

This is considered highly important in the light of Japan's efforts to expand its international role. Moreover, since the category of emigrants is rising from the strictly laboring or farmer class, much of the friction reported in earlier years between Japanese immigrants and the people to whose countries they have gone is being removed.

This constructive attitude to the exodus of skilled and educated citizens is publicized at a time when the United States, frequently accused of being the villain in the brain drain, is reassessing the results of its attraction to highly educated professionals from other lands. While Americans recognize the shortage this may occasion in some homelands, they see also the inability of some developing nations to create the conditions conducive to advancement of their own engineers and scientists. Beyond this, attention is drawn to the universal advantage of mobility among the highly educated, skilled and trained. If they are equipped more effectively by study or work in the United States—or Canada for that matter—for jobs that will have to be done in their own countries, then the gain is obvious.

The Innocent

GOVERNMENT HOSPITAL STAtistics reported from Saigon by the Associated Press provide their own commentary on that phase of the Vietnam war which troubles the world's conscience.

These indicate that 24,000 civilians have been killed or are dying this year in South Vietnam while almost three times as many have been wounded. The fatalities represent more than the 19,000 military combat deaths among American and South Vietnamese forces estimated for 1967.

What for them is victory, one way or the other?

". . . in other words . . . we only push it if it looks like we're going to lose . . ."

Olive Branch After Terror

By TIM TRAYNOR
from London

A well-dressed Arab with a square, frowning face has been much in evidence on British television of recent days, Seeded into his flat, staccato bursts of speech there usually is a careful protestation of his respect for the British people. It is hard to realize that until a few weeks ago he was an anti-British terrorist leader shrouded in secrecy. This heir to the mantle of Kenyatta and Makarios is Quantan as-Shaabi, who has spent most of the past decade undermining British colonial authority in Aden and the tiny and barren federated states at the southern tip of Arabia.

Traynor

For Mr. as-Shaabi and his National Liberation Front, it was first a matter of harassing the British themselves, and more recently of destroying the government of sheikhs set up by Britain to take over after independence and the British withdrawal—originally scheduled for early 1968.

The inspiration of Mr. as-Shaabi and his movement came from the Mau Mau, "Che" Guevara and Mao Tse-tung, and their tools were guns and grenades supplied through a highly-developed underground organization. In four years of terror, there were over 1,000 deaths and the NLF, which was outlawed until June, certainly contributed more than its share. But it paid off for the NLF leaders, for they vanquished their Egyptian-backed rivals, toppled the sheikhs, secured the backing of the army and won recognition from the British as Aden's first independent government.

To Claim Spoils

It was to claim the spoils of victory that Mr. as-Shaabi emerged from underground. He and his fellow insurgents will wield full power over the 1,350,000 South Arabians. Yet the victory is not so clear-cut as it might at first seem, a fact which no doubt explains Mr. as-Shaabi's amicable gestures toward the British. The end of British rule posed a serious economic threat, since the federation has always depended heavily on the multi-million dollar base and its 10,000-man garrison.

One hundred and eighty million dollars worth of British aid had been promised to the old regime and the NLF could not afford to jeopardize this (They demanded $270 million during Geneva independence talks, but all they got was limited aid for the next six months. The NLF's need for aid has given Britain the whip hand and precluded a wholly ignominious end to her 128-year-old occupation of the strategic Middle East foothold. It was possible to advance the withdrawal date from January 1968 to the end of November, and to extricate the troops without bloodshed—to the great relief of those who feared the men might become entangled in factional fighting and find themselves in a miniature Vietnam.

There is also the prospect of retaining post-independence influence with Mr. as-Shaabi, who is now the president of what was last week renamed the Peoples' Republic of South Yemen. Such influence could temper the NLF's eagerness to use Perim Island at the mouth of the Red Sea to interfere with Israeli shipping.

There is little despondence among British ministers about the way things are turning out. The winding up of the costly Aden base fits in nicely with Britain's overall defence rundown, and the emergence of a nationalist rather than traditionalist government is bound to affect favorably the drive for better relations with President Nasser.

Nasser Aspect

What criticism there has been of the withdrawal has largely been a reflection of misgivings about the Labor government's Middle and Far Eastern policies as a whole. There is a feeling that Foreign Secretary George Brown is cultivating President Nasser too assiduously, though this feeling has eased in recent weeks. Mr. Nasser holds the key to the Suez Canal the closure of which contributed to devaluation and is creating increasing concern here. Mr. Brown's position has also been strengthened by signs of progress such as the re-establishment of Anglo-Egyptian diplomatic relations and the passage by the UN Security Council of a British-backed resolution authorizing the dispatch of a mediator to the Middle East.

Critics of defence policy in both the Middle and Far East fail to find any coherent pattern. It is claimed that long-range planning has been seriously disrupted by repeated cost-cutting and that the government is not adjusting to this. The government first scrapped its aircraft-carrier program with the idea of replacing it with a series of Indian Ocean island bases. But these bases seem destined to go the way of Aden even before they have been established.

The key base had been scheduled for the island of Aldabra (a naturalists' paradise) whose impending conversion to an airfield raised a storm of protest), but the plan has now been cancelled. Along with one of Britain's few remaining aircraft-carriers, it was the victim of a $300 million cut linked with devaluation. What bothers the critics is that Britain is still committed to help defend such areas as Malaysia, and is still going through the motions of doing so, purchasing the F-111 bombers for use there and moving troops from Aden to the Persian Gulf. (The inability to protect British oil interests there will undoubtedly be the target of Arab nationalist attacks.) The critics say the current behavior is seriously misleading and unnecessarily expensive.

UPSIDE-DOWN ECONOMY — By BRUCE HUTCHISON

The Lesson Written in Spilt Milk

UNTIL the last month or two most Canadians were inclined to view the nation's economic dilemma as an abstract, technical exercise for the long-haired boys and their computers in the back room, or a kind of mysterious game played by politicians, tycoons and labor unions. Anyone who ventured to write about it shed his readers in the first paragraph. But lately a rise in the price of goods, a fall in the price of bonds and an open quarrel within the government have brought the dilemma down from the stratosphere into every Canadian home. It is news, after all, when dog bites man, if you happen to be the man.

Hutchison

We shall not understand what is happening to us now, however, unless we know how the process began. It will be useful to cry a little over the spilt milk if we can save what is left in the jug.

The process began, without fanfare, with hardly a ripple of public interest, in the spring of 1945. The nation's eyes were fastened on the last victories of a world war and C. D. Howe's remarkable White Paper was generally overlooked. Yet it had installed a silent nuclear time bomb in Canada's economy and political system.

Howe's White Paper

The White Paper (which Mr. Howe did not write and may not have fully understood) committed the existing and all future governments to maintain full employment and steady economic growth. That was a large bite. We are still chewing it even today, with painful indigestion.

All the same, the St. Laurent-Howe government carried its commitment forward boldly and honestly. Against all economic predictions, the nation prospered after the war as it had never prospered before, thanks to a hungry world market and good management at home. Under these conditions, the government, having accepted the whole Keynesian thesis, enforced it with extraordinary courage. Since times were good, the war debt was drastically reduced by Douglas Abbott's surplus budgets, exactly as Keynes had recommended.

Then, with John Diefenbaker's elevation to the Conservative leadership, a sudden derangement followed. Ignorant and almost contemptuous of economics, he attacked the Liberal ministry for its greatest achievement, denounced the surplus budgets as wicked "overtaxation" and, in a final crescendo of confusion, declared that wise, anti-inflationary taxes were the cause of inflation. He cried havoc and ensured it.

Upside-Down

In the election campaign of 1957 Keynes was stood on his head, not for the last time, and Mr. Diefenbaker came to office in the same posture. Donald Fleming, on the other hand, was still upright on his feet when he walked into the treasury. To him, one of the few Conservatives in a so-called Conservative government, the entire Keynesian experiment looked dubious, if not crazy. His ambition was to keep the budget balanced, the Canadian dollar intact, but already he had been assigned the leading role in a Greek tragedy.

At this point the record becomes complicated and is usually misrepresented.

The Diefenbaker government, encountering a recession which originated in the United States, could have fully justified its deficits, according to Keynes, as a business stimulant. Instead of defending them as wise and necessary, it excused them with a blush as regrettable, accidental but for the moment unavoidable.

In all the circumstances the Liberal opposition had no right to condemn deficit finance, an essential mechanism in its own White Paper. Naturally, it did so, from purely partisan motives. The government could not effectively answer this criticism because Mr. Fleming was committed to orthodox, old-fashioned finance and regarded deficits as always deplorable, if not immoral.

Anyway, his timing, if he had any, was now out of date. By 1961 the economic tide had turned, the recession faded and the time had come for retrenchment. The government, harried by the opposition, failed to recognize these changes, to change its course or to defend itself in an understandable fashion. Thus step by step, as his colleagues spent freely and ignored his warnings, Mr. Fleming slid into the exchange crisis of 1962.

That experience should have taught us something. Did it mean that Keynes' whole doctrine was wrong? Of course not. It meant only that the doctrine had been badly timed and wrongly applied. For by 1962 the big Canadian boom was under way and Mr. Fleming should have been taking in sail, as he wished to do, and balancing his budget.

Instead, his rising deficits alarmed foreign capital and enough of it was withdrawn to force the government into a panic devaluation of the dollar. Keynes and Mr. Diefenbaker were still standing on their heads and Mr. Fleming, though standing upright, had ended his public career.

The Liberal party tried in vain to win the 1962 election on a policy just as ridiculous as the government's. It promised, in a sleazy catchword stolen from President Kennedy's campaign of 1960, under very different circumstances, "to get the economy moving again" when, in fact, the economy was moving fast and entering a new inflationary cycle.

That Canada's surging economic growth began under the Conservatives was overlooked in the Liberal rhetoric and is largely forgotten now. Not being an economist himself and always a prey to the economists around him, Mr. Pearson may have believed that his task was to stimulate the economy, not to stabilize it.

Actually Walter Gordon, in his opposition days, had been appalleed by the Conservative deficits and predicted that they would land the nation "on the rocks," but as soon as he became finance minister he hoisted more sail and the ship of state drove closer to the shore.

It was clearly in sight when Mitchell Sharp succeeded Mr. Gordon two years ago but the new minister, like Nelson, put his blind eye to the telescope. So the voyage continued until, in the autumn of 1967, Mr. Sharp, as the pilot, took fright, and Mr. Pearson, as the captain, ordered full speed, or at least half-speed astern, rather late.

Critical Point

We are now at the critical point in this tricky feat of navigation, the crew quarreling, the passengers screaming, the Conservatives eagerly awaiting the wreckage on the beach, and Keynes once more upside-down.

As in 1962, we should have learned something. Surely the latest lesson is quite simple — not that the White Paper was wrong, not that Keynes, its real author, was wrong, either, and certainly not that the nation is poor, unfortunate or fatally damaged. No, the lesson is that the nation has been grossly mismanaged by two governments, that there are fixed limits to its current wealth, above all that it cannot isolate itself from the world community where it buys, sells and borrows.

The immediate crisis results from a failure of confidence, Canadian and foreign, in the government's finances, as measured by the infallible index of bond prices. Confidence will not be restored without some harsh measures that would not have been needed now if we had learned our lesson earlier and lived within our means without overstraining our credit.

For the failure to learn soon enough we must blame our politicians and ourselves. They encouraged us to expect the impossible and both parties promised it to win all the elections of this decade. But the public demanded the impossible and would not elect a party refusing to promise it.

In the record of ten hectic years no one can say who is most to blame, which came first, the chicken or the egg. All we know for sure is that the political chicken has lost its head and writhes repulsively, the egg is addled and the omelette on our plate, diluted with much spilt milk, will not be easily digested. Still, we may have learned something.

Letters

To Combat Inflation

One way to stop rising costs would be for the long-suffering public to inaugurate a self-appointed buyers strike; to eat less, drink less, drive less, and generally to buy less; and the prices would soon come down, including perhaps some excess profits, as well as the constant demand for higher wages. It is up to everyone to do something about this, unless we want to find ourselves up against inflation such as Germany had in the 20s, when it cost about a million marks to post a letter. E. W. Abraham, 1125 Faithful.

Thanks

Through the medium of your columns I would like to thank all those Victoria citizens who voted for and supported me on December 9. In spite of the smaller turnout this year, I believe that the multiple polling station system was much appreciated, and should be retained, also that further efforts should be made to interest those citizens who were unable to vote due to non-registration. — F. J. Bevis, 601 Richmond.

DENNIS THE MENACE

Looking Back

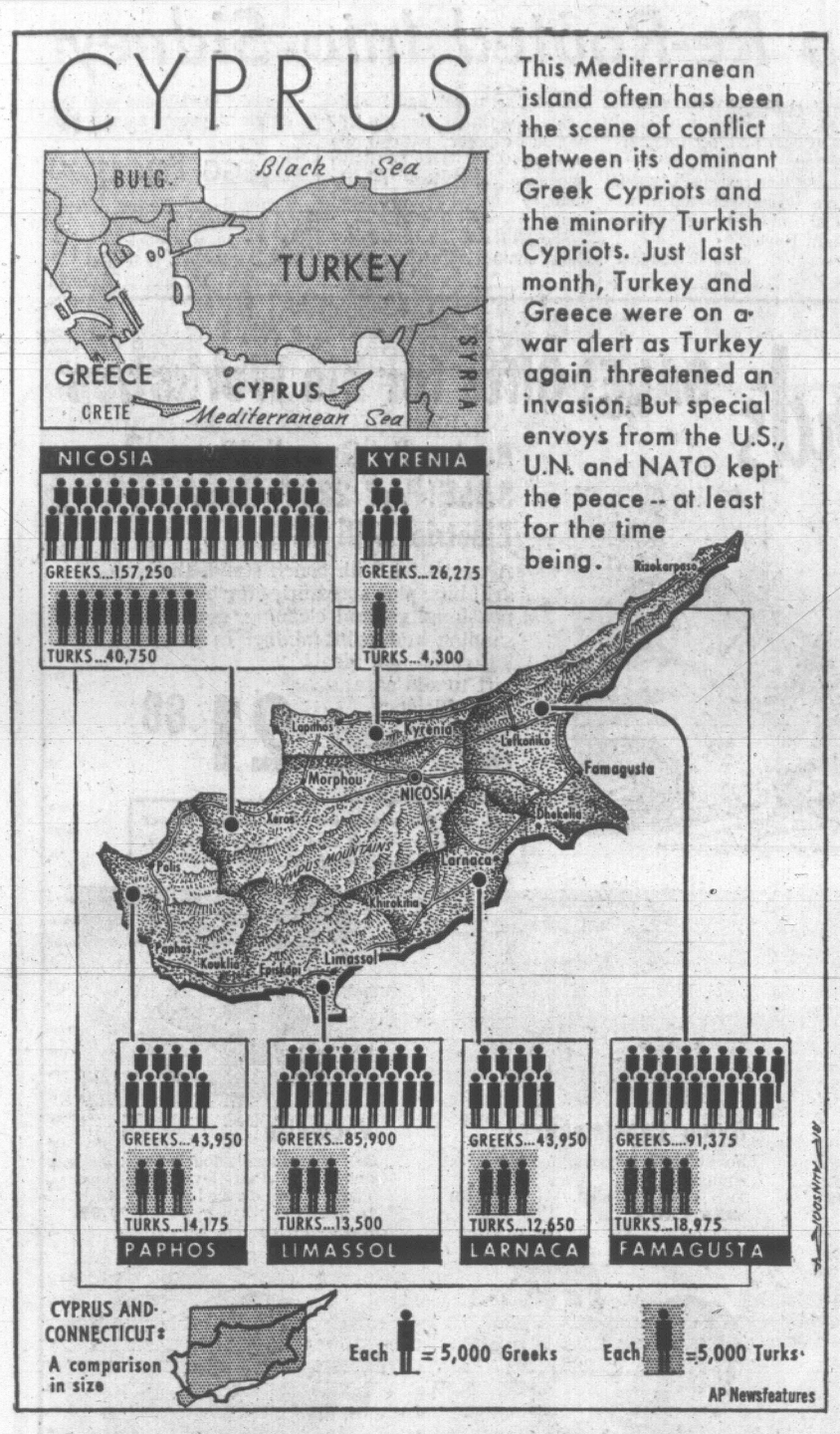
From the Times, Dec. 14, 1907.

Many Hindus in the city are reported by C. D. Kumar, the religious worker among them, to be in need of aid.

The cold weather has led to suffering from coughs and fever. Many of them, he says, are out of work and are not able to get shelter at night.

He acknowledged the receipt of $5 and a bottle of jam from Mrs. B lackwood. This, he says, will be used for the benefit of Hindus who are suffering.

He also intends to get some quinine and other medicines.



Trial Germany's Final Memorial To the Death Ravine at Babi Yar

No memorial stands at
Babi Yar, no stone.
A steep slope, a deep
ravine.
I'm afraid. I feel so old.
Just as the thousand-
year-old Jewish people.
—Yevgeny Yevtushenko,
"Babi Yar."

By DAN MORGAN
The Washington Post

DARMSTADT—The 11 old men sit in chairs or on benches along two opposite walls in the courtroom. The last traces of yellow are fading from their whitening hair. Their faces tell nothing.

In this courtroom, Germany is finally making its memorial to Babi Yar, the ravine in the Ukraine where, on two September days in 1941, 33,771 Jews were shot to death by SS execution squads.

Not since the Auschwitz trial has a war-crimes trial held such fascination here, because of both the awesome speed of the killings and the literature they inspired.

Finger of Guilt

The Russian poet Yevtushenko used his Babi Yar poem to point the finger of guilt at his own government's silence about the Jewish sufferings under Hitler, and indirectly to shame the Soviet regime for its ambiguous attitude toward the Russian Jews who survived.

But for drama, for evoking powerful moods of guilt and redemption, the Babi Yar trial, which goes on each Monday and Tuesday in courtroom 214 of district court here, is something of a disappointment.

It is a trial of old men, and old men with bad hearing, cracked voices and fading memories are the witnesses.

There are 11 accused, charged with varying degrees of murder or conspiracy in the Ukraine: a bank director, six shopkeepers, a file clerk, a gas station operator, a pensioner, a jobless clerk.

The trial moves slowly. One day last week Gustav Kraeger, 60, a pastry maker, was called by the court as one of the 170 witnesses to be heard before the proceeding ends late next year.

Kraeger had been a member of the same unit to which the 11 accused belonged, Special Commandos SK 4A, but always, he insisted, as a "desk worker."

At first his memory was extremely bad. It was not until Judge Vinzenz Paquet politely and patiently reminded him of testimony he gave at the Nuremberg trials, and of a deposition taken at his home last year, that Kraeger began to recall details.

Babi Yar itself was not mentioned. But during the end of September, 1941, SS comrades came to him in the Kiev hospital where Kraeger was recovering from jaundice and told him of "a great shooting of Jews," he recalled.

The shootings, Kraeger said, were known to him only through comrades and from documents that passed over his desk in the unit's headquarters.

His testimony covered other parts of the Ukraine. In a garden, perhaps near Kharkov, he had "heard shots . . . 34 people were shot."

At Zhitomir he saw files showing that "saboteurs and other criminals had been shot and two Jews were hung."

"Jawohl," the company commander, Blobel, was there at the time of the shotting in the garden, he said.

Blobel was hanged in 1951 in Nuremberg. After the Babi Yar shootings the ravine was dynamited and the victims buried by earth. A year later, Blobel was put in charge of a detail to dig up and bury the victims.

No, Kraeger answered a deputy judge on an examining panel, he did not recall a gas wagon's being with the unit.

The next witness, Dr. Artur Bosz, a bony-faced nerve specialist, had even more trouble remembering. And a larynx ailment gave him difficulty speaking.

A Translator

During the German occupation, he said, he had been translator for the SS unit.

He was unable to identify any of the accused: "They were wearing uniforms and they weren't wearing glasses."

At his deposition, Dr. Bosz had said that one of the accused came to him terribly upset one day, threw up and declared that he had come from a shooting where "women and children were murdered. He cursed the Hitler system and the fact that he had to participate in the murders."

Now, Dr. Bosz was not sure the man he remembered was the accused. "It looks like I'm trying to protect somebody, doesn't it?" he whispered.

Twenty-two years after the surviving Nazi hierarchy was tried for war crimes (above, Goering and Hess at Nuremberg) the lesser fry are still being rounded up and brought before the courts. With the exception of a spectacular case like that of Eichmann, most of the trials attract little notice.

The testimony of the accused has, ironically, been much surer. Georg Pfarrkircher, 65, testified that on June 28, 1941, Blobel ordered him to take part in a shooting. "For me it was a war operation. I couldn't do anything about it . . . it was a sad affair to have to carry out this business." He was forced to shoot 17 kneeling Russians.

Wine salesman August Haefner, 55, former adjutant of Blobel, admitted his part in the shootings. He testified that in Sokal, in the Ukraine, 85 Russians fell under Blobel's command to "lay it on . . . fire." "To me the shootings were incomprehensible," he told the court.

There will be many more witnesses. Among those named by Judge Paquet are seven from Russia, including one who allegedly crawled wounded out of the Babi Yar ravine at night. But it remains unknown if the Soviet Union will allow them to attend. Only on rare occasions have war-crimes investigators been successful in getting Russian witnesses.

The trial awakens strong feelings in a group of Darmstadt high-school students who have to go to district court as part of a civics course.

"For us, this is particularly interesting because the trial deals with the time of the National Socialists," a 16-year-old crew-cut youth said.

For this generation, the atrocities of the Ukraine are already history. Some of Germany's youth feels that the time has come to halt the trials.

"These were things done 20 years ago. They have paid for their sins and will continue to pay for them, but not through the courts" a youth said outside the courtroom.

Another disagreed, finding the trials "a good reminder. This was not murder but sadism. We should be kept aware of these things and remember that we were responsible for them."

The present statute of limitations on German war crimes expires on Dec. 31, 1969. An extension in May, 1965, was won only after a bitter fight in parliament.

Time Factor

But time may prove a more important factor than legal or moral arguments in closing the era of war-crime trials.

Halfway through a trial in Frankfurt, a psychiatrist was called in to give his opinion on whether the accused, Hitler aide Dr. Gerhard Bohne, 65, was suffering from feeble-mindedness or was fit to stand trial.

Three other suspects, 61, 72 and 66 years old, have recently been found incapable of standing trial.

And though there are 22 separate war-crimes trials going on in more than a dozen West German cities, the difficulties of getting accurate testimony is becoming ever greater.

PRISONERS OF HATRED

By GERALD MILLER

NICOSIA —The immediate war scare on Cyprus is gone, but almost everyone on this island remains a prisoner.

While the tangled, explosive issues tormenting Cyprus are coming before the United Nations Security Council again, ultimately the final forum must be the heart of the people who once lived side by side as neighbors under the rule of foreigners. Now, in independence, they live divided as enemies.

The 100,000 Turkish-speaking Cypriots are outnumbered five to one by the 500,000 Greek-Cypriots.

Once the Turks lived all over the island, often in more than 100 mixed villages with Greeks. Today there are five such villages.

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A cycle of politics and fears led to hatred that led to violence that led to more fears. The Turks grouped into enclaves both for mutual protection and in pursuance of their political objective to partition the island.

They have cut themselves off behind barricades. The government, controlled by Greek-Cypriots, allows the Turks to travel freely but the Turks let no Greek in Turkish enclaves. The UN peace force, including 900 Canadians, says Turkish refugees are prevented from returning to their homes outside the enclaves.

Nicosia, the capital, is a little Berlin. An ugly Turkish-built wall consists of miles of abandoned and sandbagged buildings.

Greeks and Turks are equally prisoners in their own areas.

Greeks control the economy and do not suffer as much as the Turks. With each month the Turkish section of Nicosia and other Turkish communities get shabbier and poorer.

Since 1964 the Cypriot government had denied Turkish communities "strategic materials" to prevent the building of fortifications. This means no cement, asphalt or steel. Houses are dilapidated and falling down. Roads are potholed and crumbling.

What cement and steel the Turks get their hands on goes to strengthen bunkers and dugouts. UN patrols and outposts try to prevent open clashes.

There are a few hopeful spots. In Limassol, a port on the southern coast, the two communities mingle.

In Famagusta, the island's main port in the east coast, Turkish dockers work side by side with Greek colleagues.

In Paphos on the west the blockade on materials has been relaxed in a limited "pacification" experiment. Tension has declined noticeably.

The average Turk sees the Greek as an oppressor with whom he can never again live in peace. The average Greek sees the Turk as a rebel who rejects majority rule and who, with Turkey's help, is trying to carve the island in two, if not join the whole to Turkey.

Each side fears the other is ready to shoot without provocation. Farmers go to their fields with rifles. In homes and shops, guns and knives are in easy reach.

From the village teacher to the leader of the entire Turkish-Cypriot community, Dr. Kfazil Kuchuk, most Turkish-Cypriots see only one way for the future—total separation.

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The Greek-Cypriots say if there is a political settlement the two communities will live in peace as they did in the past.

Foreigners living here feel the present split will remain. There may be guarantees, an easing of tension and some kind of federal arrangement that will bring the divided communities into reasonable contact again.

But a general view of Western diplomats here is that for better or worse the enclaves are here to stay.

(Associated Press)

'Enormous Catastrophe' Biological Possibility

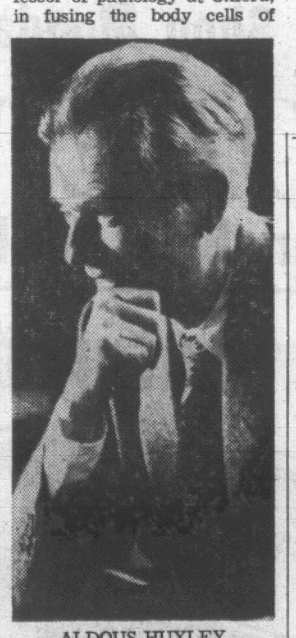
By ALFRED FRIENDLY

LONDON—Modern biology—on the verge of being able to tinker with heredity, to grow human embryos in the laboratory and to produce dozens or hundreds of identical individuals—may create a more "enormous catastrophe" than a nuclear holocaust, a British television program argued.

The 50-minute BBC telecast, deliberately disturbing, portrayed new and often grisly experiments, many of them American, portending the most profound interventions in natural reproductive processes. The program emphasized the bewildering moral issues which tomorrow's capabilities raise.

The telecast, entitled "Assault on Life," is the first of a nine-part series devoted to the effects of science on life. Not of the "reverential" or "isn't science miraculous" school, the series is directed to some of the doubts and worries engendered by the revolutionary potentialities for evil as well as good, of late 20th-century science.

One sequence shows the work of Henry Harris, professor of pathology at Oxford, in fusing the body cells of



ALDOUS HUXLEY
. . . dream coming true?

mice with those of humans, keeping them alive and replicating, with mixed chromosomes—carriers of the hereditary characteristics—of man and mouse in a single common cell.

If the same kind of fusing becomes possible with the reproductive cells—the ovum or sperm—there could thus be bred a genuine "chimera", half one thing, half another.

Another process shown, already common among stock-breeders, is the stimulation of multiple production of ova by injecting hormones in, for example, a prize ewe, flushing the fertilized eggs out of the uterine tubes and transplanting each in some "host mother," a ewe of any variety or quality. She will then give birth to the lamb grown in her uterus but, genetically, in no way related to her.

A quite different process, but with similar implications, was filmed in the laboratories of Dr. M. C. Chang, one of the three developers of the birth control pill, at the Worcester Institute, in Massachusetts. Dr. Chang routinely removes the ova of mice, hamsters and rabbits, and obtains their fertilization outside the uterus, in a test tube.

The next step in the same direction is being attempted by R. G. Edwards, at Cambridge, but with human ova and sperm. He is thought to be on the brink of success.

If one could proceed from there, the program implied, with multiple division of a fertilized human egg, a large number of identical human embryos could be created and grown, if not in the laboratory, then in the wombs of human "host mothers," performing the same function as the obliging host mother ewes now do for prize lambs.

The possibility, chillingly presented first by Aldous Huxley in "Brave New World," of producing "teams" of 20 or 100 identical individuals for various tasks where uniformity or mutual affinity is desired thus becomes nearer to a reality.

Long before it does, however, a different ethical question may arise if the experiments in Dr. Edwards' laboratory are successful: who decides how long the human eggs, fertilized in a test-tube like the hamster eggs of Dr. Chang, are allowed to go on living?

Robert Sinsheimer, professor of biophysics at the California Institute of Technology, declared at the outset of the program that the "dramatic advances of molecular biology have the potentiality for intrusion" in events that for millions of years "have known only the mindless discipline" of natural processes.

This means, he continued, that the possibility lies ahead of controlling heredity, inserting in a reproductive cell chromosomes to prevent cancer or obesity, to fashion the adult to be a warrior or a servant.

"Would you like your son 6 feet tall, or 7, or 8? How long would you like to live? . . . there are no intrinsic limits," Sinsheimer said.

Barry Commoner, of Washington University at St. Louis, Mo., and C. H. Waddington, professor of animal genetics at Edinburgh, commentators on the program, agreed that the new bilogical achievements would not make for a sudden, instant cataclysm — a "biological Hiroshima"—but that the gradual and cumulative impact could be more profound than the effects of 20th-century nuclear science.

PUBLIC MEETING

ANALYSIS OF NEW WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT

By C. W. Pritchard

TONIGHT, DEC. 14, 1967

Union Centre Auditorium

- New Bill top agenda item at next sitting of House.
- Labour needs to take a good look at this.
- Meeting open to the public; Labour especially.

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Winds of Change Hitting Canada's Chartered Banks

By GERALD WARING

OTTAWA — Last week the big bronze doors of Mybank's main branch here clanged shut at 3 p.m., as usual. But not today. Perhaps never again.

The winds of change have been blowing through the antiquated structure of Canadian banking since spring. And the latest relic of the past to be blown away is Maybank's traditional 10 to 3 business day, the "bankers' hours" so often ridiculed by 9-to-5 workers who had to use part of their lunch hours to do their banking. Now Mybank will be open for business from 9:30 to 5, and on Fridays until 6.

Waring

The epicenter of these winds is the bank Act, which Parliament amended early this year. The amendments raised the 6 per cent ceiling on the interest rate that banks may charge on loans, and removed restrictions on mortgage lending by banks. They also eased the ratio between deposits and liquid assets that banks are required to maintain, and laid down other new rules.

These amendments generated the winds of change. And that change is competition.

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The individual mainly responsible is Finance Minister Sharp. Even while he was putting a freeze on the Mercantile Bank last spring, because it is owned by New York's Citibank, Mr. Sharp was telling the MPs that the quashing of U.S. competition was a special case; that really he wants to see more banks operating to create more competition.

Most particularly, he wanted to put the Canadian-owned chartered banks in a better position to compete with the so-called "near banks," the trust and loan companies.

Anyone who has borrowed from one of the many "finance" or "acceptance" companies at exorbitant interest rates could hardly fail to applaud him. Yet in actual fact this social evil of usury was largely the fault of the banks themselves. For years they were complacent, slothful, content with the cream of the business that entailed little or no risk and an assured return of six per cent plus service charges. The banks' timidity and lack of enterprise forced people to turn to the friendly sharks.

A few days ago Mr. Sharp admitted in the Commons that he had asked the banks not to compete so keenly for deposit funds. This was a strange denouement to the competition he had sought so eagerly in the spring.

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What had happened was that the banks had spoked the wheels of the near banks by upping bank deposit rates and attracting deposit funds away from the near banks. They could do this because they could now charge more than 6 per cent on their loans.

In October conditions approached the chaotic. The banks, pressed for loans they couldn't make because of lack of funds, boosted their deposit rates still further—in some cases to more than 7 per cent on short term deposits. Yet under the current interest rate ceiling they could not charge more than 7¼ per cent for non-mortgage loans. So Mr. Sharp advised them to cool their competition.

Since then the Bank of Canada has raised the bank rate to 6 per cent to fight inflation. This has impelled the chartered banks to raise their lending rates still higher. But in classical economic theory, competition is supposed to keep prices down, including the price of money. Obviously in our sick economy competition can't compete with inflation.

MERCHANTS TOLD:

Museum Needs Local Boost

DUNCAN—City businessmen were criticized Wednesday for lack of interest in promoting the Cowichan Valley Forest Museum as a prime tourist attraction.

Director Will Dobson reported to the Chamber of Commerce this was the feeling of the directorship of the museum society.

Mr. Dobson, also a museum director, said the businessmen's attitude was out of line with the appreciation of the museum shown by tourists.

He said 28,000 people visited the museum this year, setting a record attendance, and total revenue was in excess of $20,000.

However, only 122 of 834 free tickets distributed to local businessmen to acquaint them and their staff with the attraction were redeemed.

DOBSON
. . . for tourists only?

NEW FRIENDS

Mr. Dobson said the museum did make "hundreds of new friends" during the season and the society is planning to spend $10,000 on ground and building improvements before the 1968 opening.

The provincial government was also criticized for not making a centennial grant toward the museum.

Mr. Dobson said: "The museum is a district attraction and businessmen and their staffs should show more interest and let visitors know about it."

Cleve Stenmark rose to the defence of the downtown merchants. He said they had approached the museum directors and asked what they could do to help.

Mr. Stenmark said: "We were politely told they were handling their own publicity. Perhaps the chamber should note the criticisms but I think the complaints are isolated cases."

Chamber president Dick Benzies said the museum directors have discussed the point made by motel owners and others that the museum should be open during the evenings in the peak tourist months of July and August.

Aspin New President Of Chamber

DUNCAN—Fred Aspin of B.C. Forest Products Ltd., Crofton, is the president-elect of Duncan-Cowichan Chamber of Commerce.

He will be installed at the chamber's annual dinner and dance in January.

The new directors to serve with him are Archie Stevenson, Will Dobson, Bill Jameson, Jim Hawthornthwaite, Bill Loukes, Norm Martin, N. J. (pete) Prest, Jack Scoular, Gordon Sutherland, Miss Louise Underwood, Al Van Cacker, William J. Lambeth, Les Atchison and Sam Keeble.

STRENGTH IN NUMBERS

Buddhism's strength in 1966 was estimated at 150,000,000 to 500,000,000 people.

'SICK MAN COULD DIE AT HOSPITAL DOOR'

DUNCAN—Ald. Martin Lukaitis says a person could die at the main door of the new Cowichan District Hospital after 10 p.m. and no one would even see him.

He was objecting at a city council meeting to the hospital's main door being closed to the public at 10 p.m. and the emergency door locked after midnight.

Ald. Lukaitis said: "I don't think any hospital should close its front door, but should be open 24 hours a day."

Ald. Steve Saunders, council representative on the hospital board, said the front door closing is customary in all new hospitals. There is a notice on the front door directing emergency patients to the emergency entrance.

He said he was unaware of the locking of the emergency door but would inquire. His understanding was a ring would bring a nurse to the station and this was better than having a patient wandering lost in the building.

Santa Ship Re-Routed Into Sidney

Sidney residents may have a better chance to see the Bellingham Christmas Ship on its Saturday stop—if the good weather holds out.

A schedule change announced Wednesday by the Bellingham Junior Chamber of Commerce, sponsors of the ship, says the Tyrell will tie up at the Sidney municipal dock at 3:25 p.m. for an hour-long stop.

If the weather isn't good, Santa's vessel will stop at its original mooring place, Teskam Harbor.

Decorated with a 20-foot tree, lights, tinsel, and Santa's sleigh, the Christmas ship will be in contact with radio stations KGMI and KPUG to announce any last minute changes on its weekend cruise.

She will also be in ship-to-shore contact with the islands she plans to visit and with the Victoria Jaycee's Santa Ship.

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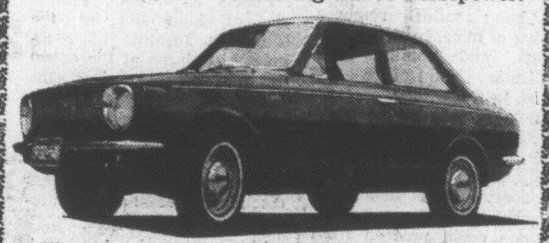

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Friday Last Day For Island Sawmill

Full-Time Director Advocated

LAKE COWICHAN—The school board here is to consider the recommendation of adult education director Ernest Clode to make the appointment full-time.

Mr. Clode said in a report submitted to the district schools superintendent: "I recommend the program be continued and expanded, as people are becoming more aware of the night school program."

Mr. Clode reported 38 courses offered, two academic, five vocational and 31 recreational.

Some 196 people are accommodated in the different classes.

Because of the shortage of time the industrial first aid class is having to be held on Sundays.

Georgia Pacific International Corp. of Portland, Ore., Wednesday confirmed its sawmills at North Vancouver and Nanaimo will be closed Friday. About 200 men work at the two mills.

The company said all efforts to sell its subsidiary Vanwest mills to responsible operators have failed.

Limited planing and shipping will be phased out during the next several weeks at the two mills, the company said.

F. H. Pendleton, of North Vancouver, manager of the two sawmills, said the closure is being forced by depressed market conditions.

"We have tried everything possible to put the sawmills on a sound basis and have been unsuccessful," he said.

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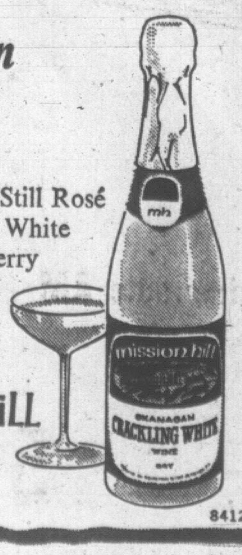

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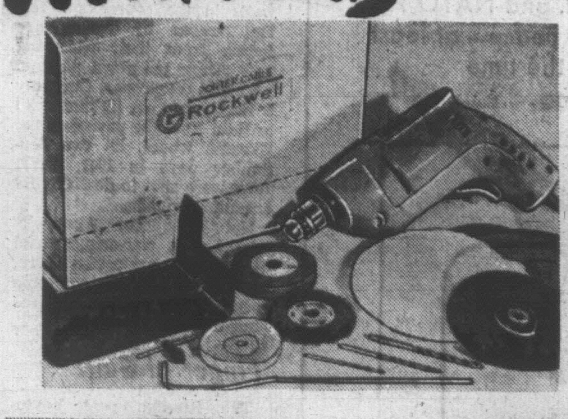

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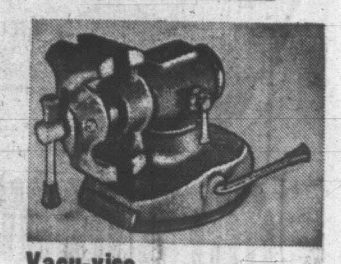

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360° swivel head; double jaws, 2½" and 1½". Pull lever and vise clamps securely to work bench.
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Universal vertical model, fits most hand electric drills. Easy to adjust. Ideal for home
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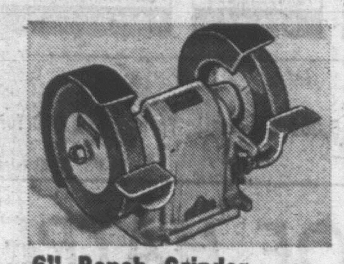

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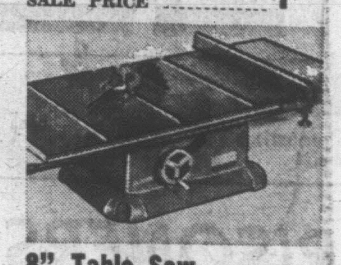

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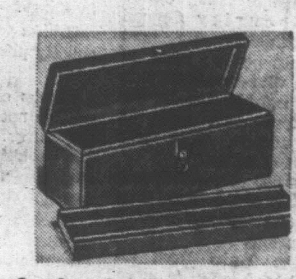

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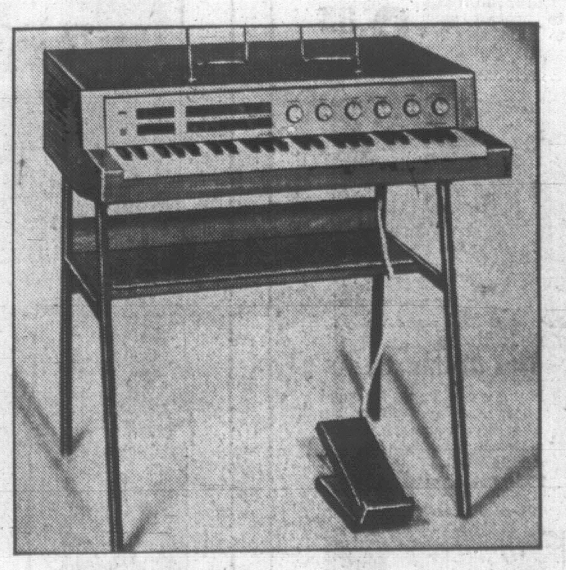

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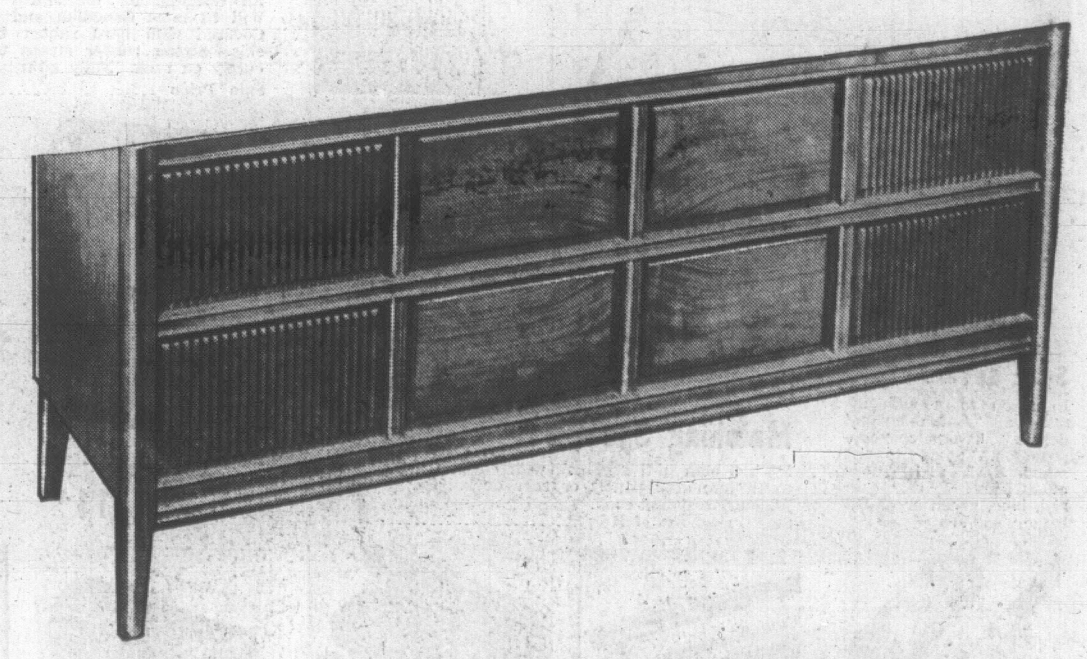

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Coquitlam 'Interested' In French Idea

COQUITLAM, (CP) — Romeo the French-Canadian Federation Paquette, secretary-general of of British Columbia, said Wednesday he is very encouraged by Coquitlam School Board's application for French teaching in this Vancouver suburb.

Mr. Paquette presented a brief to the board Tuesday night, requesting that French be made the language of instruction in elementary classrooms in the Maillardville area, a predominantly French-speaking community. It also asked for an exchange of B.C. and Quebec teachers.

Maillardville, with a population of 8,000, is the largest French-speaking community west of the Rockies. Its schools come under the jurisdiction of the Coquitlam District school board.

After the meeting, Chairman E. P. Murphy said the board was very interested in the move.

"We are going to discuss his brief, and then take it to Victoria," he said.

"I feel that this is a stage with the eyes of all French-Canadians watching."

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In an interview, Mr. Paquette said the board gave the brief a very sympathetic hearing, and asked "the right type of questions."

"Of course there was no commitment, but we were encouraged by the reaction," he said.

The federation's brief suggests the school board ask the provincial department of education to set up an advisory board immediately.

The board would study, coordinate and assist on all requests for French instruction in the public school system.

The brief requests that French instruction should begin in the first grade in one or two schools in Sept. 1968, or as soon as possible thereafter.

An additional grade totally taught in French could then be introduced every consecutive year for at least the first three or four grades, with English gradually introduced at higher levels.

The federation also suggested that French eventually should be the only language of communication up to Grade 12 to compensate for the prevalence of English outside the classroom.

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Corn ranks as number one crop in the United States—in 1965 a record 4,200,000,000 bushels were harvested.

NEW JOB as general counsel in the West Indies for the Bank of Nova Scotia has been accepted by Donald Fleming, former Progressive Conservative finance minister and unsuccessful candidate for the party leadership last September. He will move to the Bahamas early next year.

Improved Device For Heart Work

WASHINGTON (AP) — U.S. public health service researcher unveiled Wednesday a simple new artificial heart device they described as a major advance over existing ones.

Officials said the machine has a number of advantages over that of Dr. Michael Debakey, developer of the world's first successful device to do part of the work of the heart.

Both the new device and that of Debakey take over some of the work of the heart's left ventrical, the main working and pumping muscle. Both are designed to aid temporarily patients in danger of heart failure.

Dr. Lester Goodman of the health service said so far it has been implanted only in calves and needs further development before it is ready for use on humans.

Marshall Turner, a mechanical engineer who built the machine, said he believes the research team is close to overcoming the problems.

Turner told a press conference that the big advantage of the new machine is that it provides a smooth flow of blood. He said this should eliminate the main problem in the pulsating machine developed by Debakey—that of blood clots. Some clots have become fatal to heart-assisted patients, Turner said.

Debakey, a surgeon at Methodist Hospital in Houston, Tex., performed the first successful operation using the heart-assisting machine last Aug. 8.

NEW HEART PATIENT LEAVES BED

CAPE TOWN (Reuters) — Heart-transplant patient Louis Washkansky got out of bed today and sat in an easy chair on the balcony outside his room—11 days after his history-making operation.

A doctor at Groote Schuur hospital said biochemistry tests showed his condition continued to improve.

He added there were no signs the body of the 55-year-old grocer was rejecting the heart received from an automobile accident victim Denise Darvall, 25.

Meanwhile, a spokesman for the liver clinic at the hospital said a liver transplant into a human would be done early next year.

Only four successful liver transplants so far have been carried out—all in the U.S.

MOVING COMPANY MADE MISTAKE

House Shifted 40 Miles

ATLANTA, Ga. (Reuters) — A five-room house reported stolen from its plot here turned up Wednesday in Loganville, 40 miles away.

Police said the house evidently was carted away last week by a moving company which thought it had bought the property from the city of Atlanta.

Loganville Police Chief Preston Vanderford spotted the one-storey wooden house, which was removed from the property of W. D. Pope while he was on vacation in Florida.

Vanderford said he saw a picture of the house in an Atlanta newspaper. "So I went over and looked at this house that had been moved in here last week. It looked like the same one to me."

Pope went to Loganville and confirmed that it was, indeed, his house.

The city of Atlanta had taken bids on the Pope property and a number of other houses in the area, which is scheduled to be taken over by the expanding Atlanta airport.

But, police said, the moving company was not authorized to move any homes until their owners negotiated sales with the city.

Pope, who wants his house back, said: "I'm going to talk with my attorneys. And we'll see where we go from there."

Hunter Fined For Mishap

A man who accidently shot and injured a fellow hunter was fined $50 in central court Wednesday.

Wayne Underwood, 2913 Austin, pleaded guilty to handling a firearm without due care.

Court was told he was hunting with five companions in the Beaver Cove area Sept. 10.

When he placed two shells in his shotgun, one ejected. He bent down to pick it up and his gun, lying across his lap, discharged, wounding one of his companions in the ankle.

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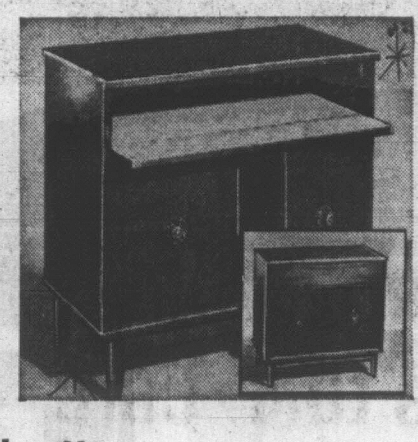

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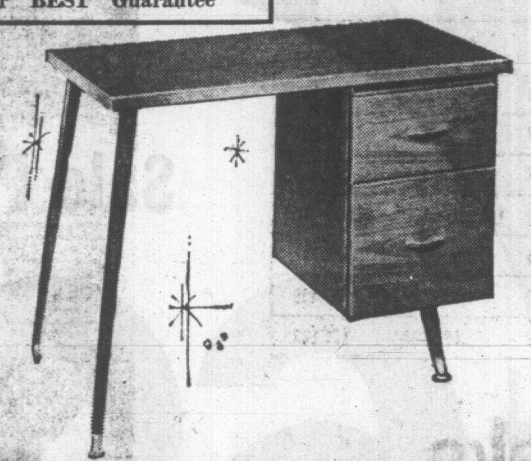

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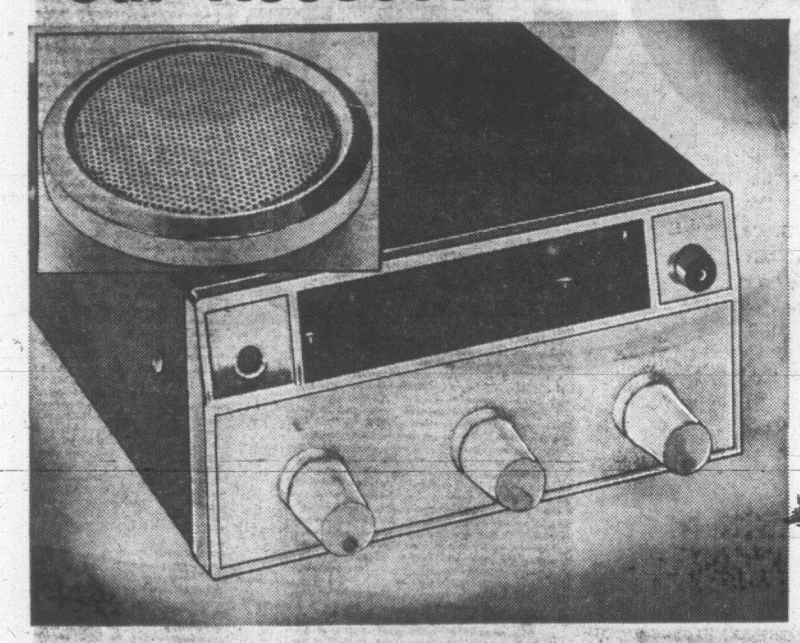

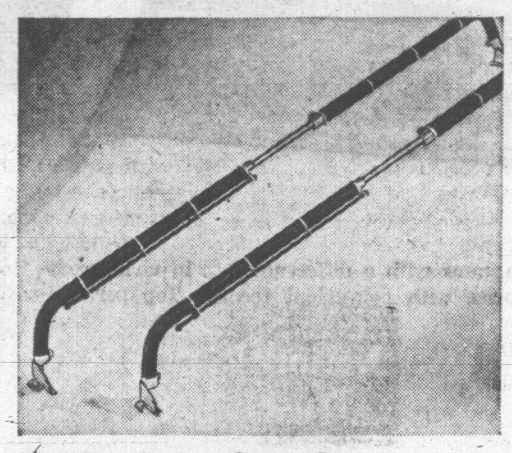

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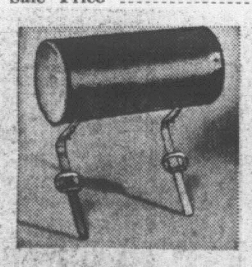

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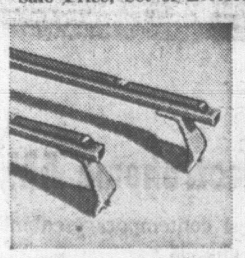

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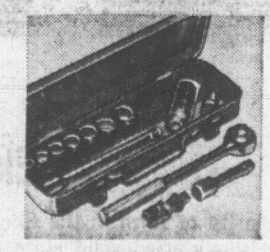

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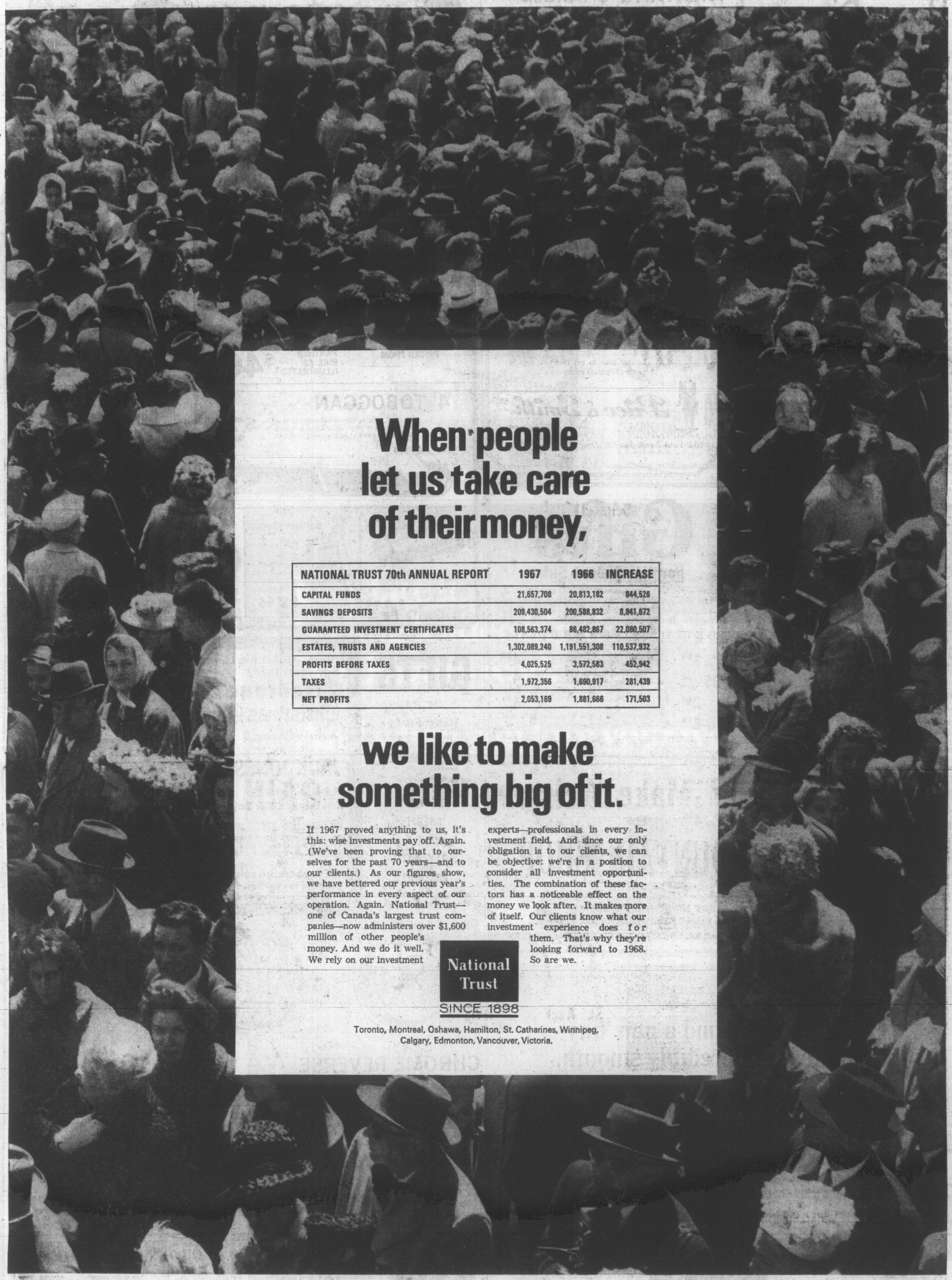

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'DEATH CURSE'

Hope Diamond Ex-Heiress Dead

PLANO, Tex. (AP) — Investigators have ordered an autopsy in the death of Evalyn McLean, 25, who was once among the heirs to the famed Hope diamond.

Miss McLean's body was found Tuesday in the rambling ranch home where she lived alone. Neighbors in this Dallas suburb broke into the home when they saw no activity there for several days.

A toxicologist's study is under way to determine the cause of death.

Miss McLean's body was discovered lying on a bed, fully clothed. There was no indication of foul play, Justice of the Peace B. B. Carpenter said.

EVALYN McLEAN
. . . death cause sought

She was the daughter of John R. (Jock) McLean of Palm Beach, Fla. A former Dallas debutante, she had never married. She spent her time working with the horses she raised and trained at her Friendly Acres horse ranch six miles northeast of Plano.

The Hope diamond was once owned by her grandmother, Evalyn Walsh McLean.

Miss McLean and six other grandchildren never were allowed to so much as touch the diamond, a stone reputed to have brought ill luck to most who were associated with it.

The diamond was bought from Evalyn Walsh McLean's estate by New York jeweler Harry Winston in 1947. He gave it to the Smithsonian Institute in Washington.

Evalyn Walsh McLean liked to wear the Hope diamond to her gala Washington parties. She claimed she had turned down offers of nearly $2,000,000 for the diamond. She said she bought it in the early 1900s after her marriage to the late Ned McLean. Mrs. McLean paid $40,000 for the stone and took it to a priest to have it blessed.

The diamond, according to its legend, was once possessed by King Louis XVI and Marie Antoinette but disappeared after the couple was beheaded during the French Revolution. The first owner of the stone was a French traveller named Tavernier, who sold the diamond to Louis XIV of France. Tavernier later was ripped to death by a dog pack.

The stone derives its name from Henry Thomas Hope, a London banker who bought it in 1830.

Rare Scanner Helps Hospital In X-Ray Work

St. Joseph's Hospital has purchased a $25,000 radioisotope scanner—the second in British Columbia.

The new equipment goes a step further in producing X-ray pictures of organs deep in the body, providing an indication of the degree of disease present.

Earlier techniques with conventional X-ray have enabled doctors to examine hollow organs when barium or radiosensitive dyes have been taken internally by the patient. The new equipment will permit scanning of many solid organs.

At present it is being used exclusively for examination of thyroid glands but additional $7,000 expenditure would extend its use.

Shaughnessy Hospital for veterans in Vancouver has the only other scanner of this type in B.C.

INDIA PASSES ENGLISH BILL

NEW DELHI — The Indian parliament overwhelmingly endorsed Wednesday night an emotion-charged bill to preserve indefinitely the use of the English language in this country.

The vote, 224 to 75, was a major triumph for Prime Minister Indira Gandhi's government, which has been struggling for three weeks against violent anti-English demonstrations throughout the northern belt of Hindi-speaking states.

CHEATING CHARGED AT CHURCH BINGO

VANCOUVER (CP) — Three persons were to appear in magistrate's court today charged with cheating in a church bingo game.

William Rivard, 42; Brian Dane Bates, 21, and Kathryn Yellowknee, 19, all of Vancouver, were charged following games played at Our Lady of Sorrows Roman Catholic Church.

Church authorities said after playing 20 games, a person claimed the first prize of $318. They told police they thought a person had picked up a bingo card in an earlier game and made a copy.

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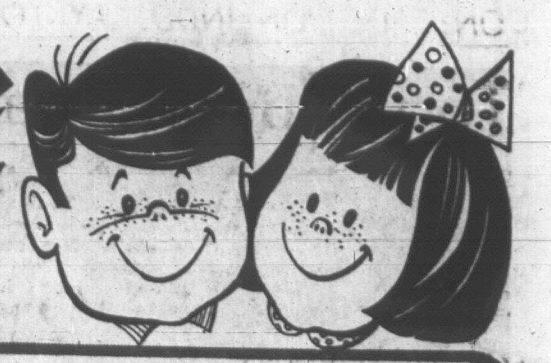

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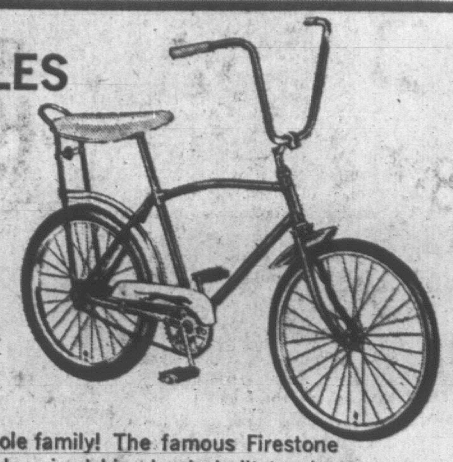

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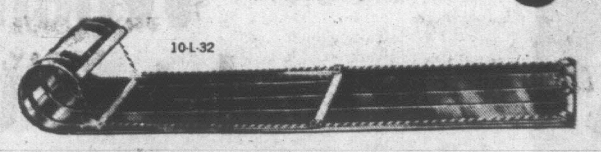

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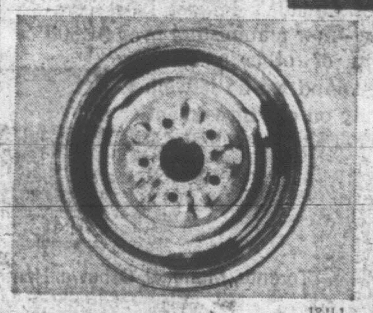

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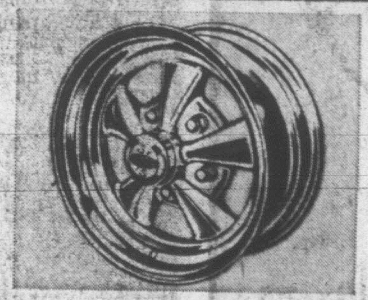

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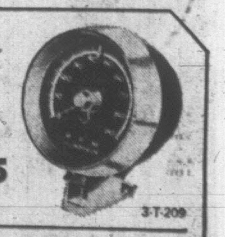

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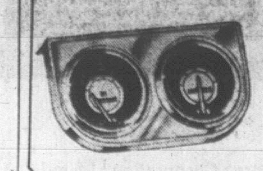

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CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY TOLD

'Too Much Lunatic Fringe'

Canada's construction industry can claim a high level of the lunatic fringe, a B.C. building exeuctive told a group of associates meeting here Wednesday.

George Wilkinson, vice-president of Marwell Construction Ltd., told a dinner meeting of the Amalgamated Construction Association of B.C. Victoria group there is more lunatic fringe in construction than any other industry.

"If you don't believe that, look at the mortality rate among construction firms," he said.

Mr. Wilkinson is treasurer of the Pipeline Contractors' Association of Canada and chairman of its export committee, and a mumber of a special study on construction chaired by Carl Goldenberg, international labor relations authority.

'OUR OWN FAULT'

"Our industry takes a beating it doesn't deserve and a lot of it is our own fault. We let George do it too often when we should be speaking for ourselves."

Mr. Wilkinson said a vital object of the ACA is to speak as one voice for the industry, and a lot can be learned from labor.

"There is not much to be proud of in this industry," he said, pointing out that more than 50 per cent of national time lost as a result of industrial disputes—"not including quickie strikes that take place"—is attributed to the construction industry.

"I think most of us are aware that public relations and our federal and provincial government relationships have been overlooked," the contractor said.

The industry has kept itself too busy to attend to "politicking—which I mean in the widest sense."

He went on: "The lack of communication with our employees is delporable. . . .

"And we have handed over so many of our duties to unions it is debatable who is running our organizations," he said.

"Generally speaking, we are disorganized, disunited, picked on by our clients, architects, employees; wer are in a high risk business."

FOR VICTORIANS

Car Insurance Lower in 1968

Car insurance premiums will \$111 to \$103; for those without a cost 1½-3 per cent less in claim for one year, the rate will Victoria next year, remain be \$123, down \$2; for those with steady in Vancouver and drop a claim in the past year, \$142 or by as much as \$16 elsewhere in \$4 off the current year. B.C.

The announcement in Vancouver Wednesday night by All Canada Insurance Federation quashed fears expressed Nov. 23 by Victoria agents that 1968 rates would be 15 per cent higher in Greater Victoria.

A change in insurance coverage boundaries had been expected to raise local premium rates commensurate with rates in the normally higher region embracing the rest of Vancouver Island.

All Canada is a prepresentative agency of the national insurance industry's system of gathering statistics.

In Victoria, for those with no claims for the past three years (based on a 1967, six-cylinder, medium-priced sedan) the cost of insurance will go from \$93 to \$90, while in Vancouver the average \$140 will hold.

HOLDS POSITION

Victoria area maintains its positions as the one with the lowest insurance premiums of 18 major Canadian centres.

Coverage includes \$100,000 public liability, \$100 deductible for collision, \$25 deductible for comprehensive and \$2,000 for medical expenses, for purposes of comparing rates.

Four categories of owners are used in setting rates. For those who have had no claim for two years the rate here will go from

Victoria's lower rates are attributed to more careful driving, less damaging accidents and lower repair costs than elsewhere.

A spokesman said new rating manuals have not yet been issued to companies. He added that the survey is an accurate indicator of premiums to be charged next year.

For purposes of the survey, the industry assumes the car insured is used mainly for pleasure, and driven for business purposes not more than 20 miles daily by persons over 25. The industry says this category represents about 53 per cent of Canadian drivers.

Log Damage Checked

VANCOUVER (CP) — A full-scale survey of damage done to ships by logs and debris in lower B.C. coastal waters will be undertaken in January by the B.C. Safety Council's water and recreation section, it was announced Wednesday. Harbor masters, marine insurance underwriters and ship repair firms will be questioned.

McGILL BUILDS $1,000,000 SUPER-MAGNET

MONTREAL (CP)—McGill University is building what it describes as the world's most powerful low-temperature magnet.

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OIL DRILLING BOOMS

CALGARY (CP)—A near-record number of oil drilling rigs will be operating this winter.

John Porter, of Calgary, general manager of the Canadian Association of Oilwell Drilling Contractors, says 250 rigs will be active in late January and early February in Western Canada. The record is 282 in February, 1966.

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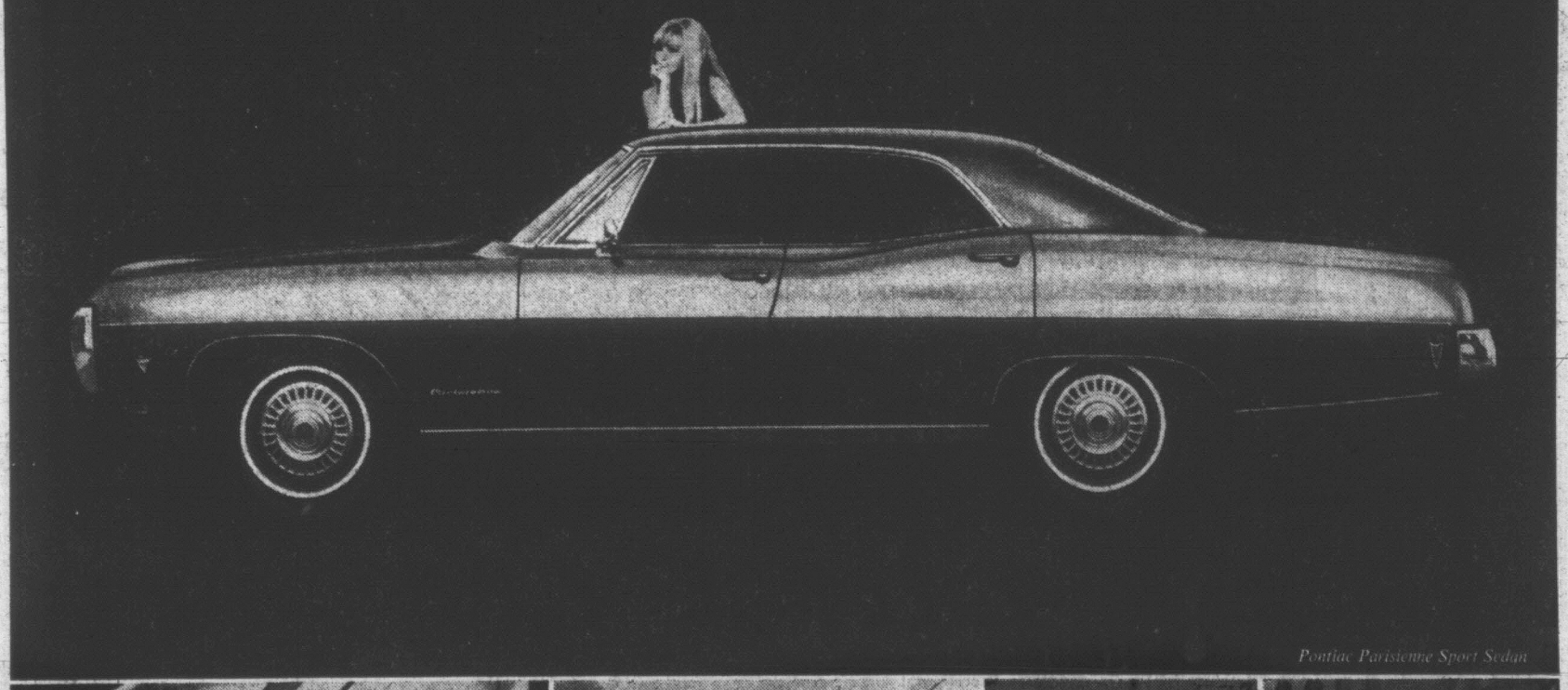

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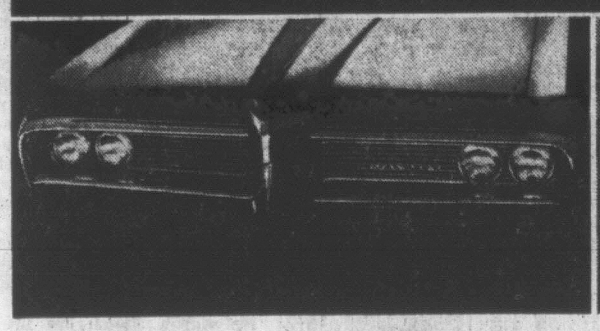

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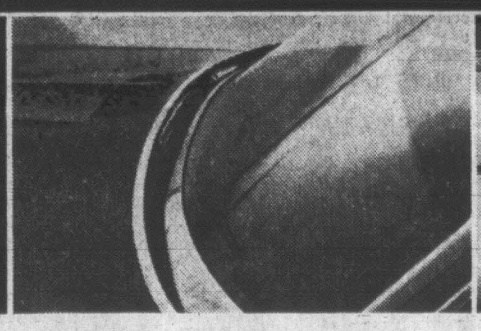

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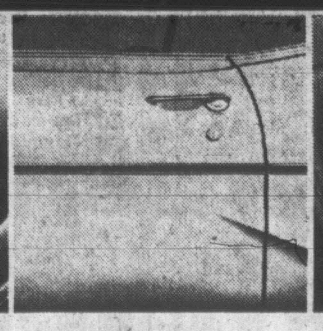

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Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
Abitibi	3153	$8¼	8½	8¼	+ ⅛
Acklands	3460	$15⅝	15½	15½	
Alta Gas T	300	$33	32¾	32¾	+ ¼
Alta Gas w	110	6.0	6.0	6.0	+.10
Alta Nat	310	$19⅝	19¾	19¾	+ ⅛
Algo Cent	585	$7⅞	7	7	+ ¼
Algoma St	3312	$18⅜	17⅞	18¼	+ ⅜
Algonq pr	100	225	225	225	+45
Alcan	7230	$27⅜	27½	27½	
Alcan pr	300	$34¾	34½	34¾	
Alumin 2p	z10	$38	38	38	
Anglo-cn	460	$5⅞	5⅞	5¾	+ ⅛
Ang CT 290	50	$42	42	42	
Ang CT 315	25	$48	48	48	— 1
Anthes A	380	$27¼	27	27	— ⅛
Argus	z10	$11	11	11	
Argus C pr	400	$9	8¾	9	+ ⅛
Asbestos	1536	$20¼	20	20	— ¼
Atl Sugar	2925	$11	10¾	10⅞	— ⅛
Auto Elec	1530	$10¼	9⅝	9¾	— ⅜
BACM Ind	z50	$14½	14½	14½	
Bahama	400	66	65	65	
Bank Mtl	7195	$11¼	10⅝	11	— ⅜
Bank N S	3935	$14¼	14	14¼	+ ⅛
Bartaco	250	$6¼	6¼	6¼	— ¼
Bathrst p	z50	$12¾	12⅝	12⅝	
Beaver L	8740	$40⅝	39½	39⅝	+2⅜
Becker B p	750	$8½	8⅝	8½	+ ⅛
Bell T	14367	$43½	43	43¼	— ⅛
Bow Valy	5150	$9¾	9½	9⅝	+ ⅛
Bow Vly w	1200	640	620	640	+40
Bowater	200	$7	6⅞	6¾	+ ¼
Bow-m pr	125	$49	49	49	
Bramalea	700	$15	15	15	
Bramal w	103	725	725	725	
Brazilian	2324	$14½	13⅞	14	
BA Oil	3935	$38⅞	38⅛	38⅞	+ ⅛
BC Forest	955	$17¼	17	17	— ¼
BC Pack A	215	$16⅜	16⅜	16⅜	
BC Sugar	250	$44	43¾	43¾	— ¼
BC Sugar p	122	$18	18	18	
BC Phone	480	$56¼	55⅛	55½	— ⅜
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BCPh 1956	50	$79	79	79	— 3
BCPh 5.15	125	$86¼	86½	86½	+1¼
Bruck B	100	$7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	
Buntin Rid	300	$10⅝	10⅝	10⅝	
Burns Fds	690	$19	18⅝	18⅞	+ ⅜
Burrard	z1	$67⅞	67½	67½	

C—E

CAE Ind	1565	$10	9⅞	10	+ ⅛
Calgary P	250	$21⅜	21⅛	21½	— ¼
Calgy 540 p	75	$104	104	104	
CD Sugar	720	$23	20⅜	23	+2¼
Can Bread	200	$10	10	10	
Can Cem	395	$27½	27	27	— ½
Can Iron	100	$17⅞	17⅜	17⅝	+ ⅛
Can Malt	300	$22	22	22	
C Packrs A	65	$55½	55½	55½	— 1
C Packrs B	25	$86	86	86	— 2
Can Perm	875	$11	10⅜	11	+ ⅛
C Safway p	z1	$88¼	88½	88¼	
CSL	225	$25	24⅝	24¾	+ ⅛
Can Brew	9200	$7⅞	7⅛	7⅛	— ⅛
C Brew Ap	z1	$32	32	32	
C Brew Bp	z5	$42½	42½	42½	
CB Alum A	200	$14⅜	14⅜	14⅜	— ⅛
Cdn Can A	z60	$11¾	11¼	11¾	
C Chem w	4300	210	200	205	+ 5
C Coniaur	2080	85	65	65	—19
C Curtiss	3800	265	260	260	+ 5
Cdn Equty	1300	$5⅞	5½	5½	— ⅛
C Found	110	$6¼	6¼	6¼	
CGE	z10	$32	32	32	
CG Invest	28	$54	54	54	
C Goldale	z10	$9¼	9¼	9¼	
C Imp	13210	$13⅜	13⅜	13⅜	
C Ind Gas	523	$11⅞	11⅜	11⅜	— ¼
C Ind Gas p	700	$11	11	11	
CIL	2325	$13¾	13⅜	13⅜	
C Marconi	1875	$5⅞	5½	5¾	+ ⅛
CP Inve pr	4143	$24⅛	23½	23⅝	— ⅛
CPR	1638	$58	57⅛	58	+ ⅝
CPR 300 pr	1205	$10¼	10	10¼	
CPR pr	z20	$8½	8¼	8½	
C Petrofin	779	$14¼	13⅞	13⅞	— ⅛
Cdn Tire	718	$47	46¾	47	
Cdn Tire A	2685	$37	36¼	36⅝	+ ⅜
C Utilities	4425	$39¼	39⅛	39½	
C Vickrs	100	$7⅝	7⅜	7⅜	+ ⅛
CWN Gas	z10	$16½	16½	16½	
CWN G 4 pr	z87	$12⅝	12⅝	12⅝	
CWN 5½ p	100	$18⅜	18⅜	18⅜	
C Westing	1625	$12⅜	12	12¼	
Canit Bldg	3700	125	115	125	
CDRH Ltd	4780	$6¼	5⅞	6	+ ⅛
Chemcell	5180	$7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	— ⅛
CHUM A	820	$21½	21¼	21⅜	— ⅛
Clairton	1080	475	475	475	+25
Clairton w	845	225	200	225	+30
Coch-Dun	25	$27	27	27	—1½
Columbia	450	375	360	360	—20
Columbi p	100	$14	14	14	
Cominco	3320	$26½	25¼	26⅝	+1⅛
Compro	3745	405	395	400	
Computr	450	$11¼	11¼	11½	
Con Bath	1495	$21¼	21⅛	21⅜	+ ⅛
Con Bath w	2100	345	325	325	—20
Con Bldg	650	100	100	100	
Cons Gas	7938	$20¼	20	20	— ⅜
Con Glass	200	$12⅜	12¼	12¼	— ⅛
Corby vt	870	$28	27⅞	28	+1⅜
Corby B	153	$28¾	27½	28¾	+1⅜
Crain R L	75	$47½	47½	47½	
Crwn Trst	z15	$45	43¼	45	
Crow Nest	z25	$21	21	21	
Crush Intl	1270	$11⅝	11¼	11¼	
Cygnus A	2510	480	450	450	
Cygnus pr	300	$20¼	20	20	— ½
Delta Elec	750	315	315	375	+30
Distl Seag	1095	$39½	39¼	39½	+ ⅜
Dome Pete	815	$33½	33½	33½	
Con Bath p	580	$20¾	20¾	20¾	— ¼
Dom Angl	100	$6	16	16	
D Bridge	1170	$15	14⅝	15	+ ⅝
D Can Gen	100	$74	74	74	
D Dairies	25	$6	16	16	
Dofasco	1276	$20	20	20	— ¼
Dom Glass	200	$8¾	8⅝	8⅝	— ⅛
D Magnes	125	$5	5	5	— ⅛
Dosco	590	$9¼	9¼	9¼	— ¼
Dom Store	2725	$16	15⅞	16	
Domtar	2740	$10¼	10	10¼	+ ¼
D Textile	2029	$16	15¾	15⅞	
Dover Ind	100	$16½	16½	16½	—1½
Dupont	295	$25	24½	24½	
Eddy Mtch	75	$26½	26½	26½	
Electro ltd	100	$9¾	9¾	9¾	+ ⅛
Emco	500	$7⅝	19	19	— ⅛
Emn Life	100	$9¾	9¾	9¾	+ ¼
Equisite	505	485	465	485	+25
Equite pr	z25	490	490	490	
Exquisite	505	485	465	485	+25
Exquite pr	z25	490	490	490	
Exquite w	100	96	96	96	— 1

F—J

Falcon	1193	$89½	88	89½	+1¼
Fam Play	875	$41½	41¼	41½	
Fanny	z50	$43	43	43	
Fed Grain	1250	$7¼	7¼	7¼	+ ⅛
Fleet Mfg	900	165	155	155	— 5
Ford Cnda	182	$165	165	165	—1¾
FPE Pion	500	$28	28	28	— ¾
FPE Pn pr	10	$112	112	112	
Fraser	100	$17⅜	17⅜	17⅜	— ⅛
Freiman	100	$7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	
Frvehauf	555	$15⅝	15⅜	15½	— ⅛
GMC	z10	$9	9	9	
G P Mfg A	z81	$17¼	17	17¼	
G P Mfg B	z2	$14	14	14	
G Stl Ware	z100	$8	8	8	
Goodyear	z5	$192	192	192	
Godyear p	75	$38	38	38	+ 1
GL Paper	7705	$16¼	16	16¼	
GL Power	575	$19½	19⅝	19⅝	
GNGas A p	z10	$21¼	21¼	21¼	
Gt W Life	465	$35½	35½	35½	+ ⅜
Greyhnd	670	$11¼	11¼	11¼	
Guar Trst	470	$9	9	9	+ ⅛
Hardee	1325	30	28	30	
Hard Crp A	325	$11⅜	11½	11⅜	+ ⅛
Harveys F	760	$16	15⅞	16	+ ¼
H Wood b	z52	40	40	40	
Hawker S	2450	360	345	350	+ 5
Hawker pr	z13	$70½	69	70	
Hays Dna	z50	$12⅝	12⅜	12⅝	
Ho OA	14083	$25¾	25¼	25⅜	+ ⅛
Home B	675	$27¼	27	27¼	+ ¼
Horne Pit	1325	395	385	395	— 5
H Bay Co	1200	$22¾	22⅜	22½	
HB Oil Gas	775	$45	44¼	44⅜	— ⅛
HB Oil G pr	780	$60½	60	60	— ¼
Huron Eri	800	$70	70	70	— ¼
Husky Oil	9495	$25½	25¼	25	— ⅛
Husky C pr	240	$83	83	83	— 3
Husky D w	3005	$15	14⅜	14⅜	
Imbrex	170	480	480	480	— 3
Imp Life	15	$122	122	122	
Imp Oil	3583	$69¾	69	69	+ ⅛
Imp Tob	1150	$12⅞	12⅝	12⅞	+ ⅛
Ind Accept	815	$20¼	20¼	20½	+ ⅛
Ind Mineri	568	$12⅞	12⅞	12⅞	+ ⅜
Ind Wire	575	390	385	385	— 5
Ingersol	350	$31	30½	30½	— ½
Inglis	600	$11½	11¼	11¼	
Inland Gas	320	$9⅞	9¾	9⅞	+ ⅛
Inspiratn	400	110	110	110	+10
Inspirati p	227	$17⅜	17⅜	17⅜	+ ½
Inter-City	220	$13½	13	13	
IBM	24	$695	685	690	
IMC	1020	$33¾	31¼	33¼	+2¼
Int Nickel	1328	$124⅞	124¼	124⅞	+ ⅜
Int Util	5570	$41½	41¼	41¾	+ ⅛
Int Util pr	1805	$41½	41⅜	41½	+ ⅛
Intpr Pipe	4620	$22⅞	22¾	22¾	
Int Pipe w	885	$10⅝	10¼	10⅜	+ ⅜
Ip SP	31100	490	465	465	—20
Intpr Stl pr	z25	$17½	17½	17½	
Inv G A	67659	$7⅞	7¾	7¾	+ ⅛
ITL	10089	$16	15	16	+1⅛
ITL Ind pr	z50	$23	23	23	
James Stl	639	425	420	420	
Jefferson	2850	$62	60½	61½	— ½
Jeffersn w	210	$52½	52	52	— ¾
Jockey C	3377	285	275	285	+10
Jockey B p	100	$6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	
Jockey 2 p	100	$7	7	7	

K—N

Kelly D A	500	485	485	485	—10
Kelsey H	150	$14	14	14	+ ½
Kelvinatr	100	$7½	7½	7½	— ½
Labatt	6642	$13½	13½	13½	+ ½
Lafarge A	700	$10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	+ ⅝
LOnt Cem	3802	320	315	320	
Lambton	100	$5½	5¼	5½	+ ⅜
Laura Sec	597	$14¼	14	14	— ⅜
Lau Fin	1720	375	370	375	— 5
Lau F 2.00	100	$16⅝	16¾	16⅝	
Levy	2385	$36½	35¼	36	— ⅜
Levy B pr	175	$33½	31½	31½	+ ¼
Life Invest	200	$5⅞	5⅞	5⅞	— ⅛
Life Inv wt	350	115	110	110	—5
Livingstn	125	$11	11	11	+ ¼
Living wts	270	365	365	365	
Lob Co A	940	$6½	6¼	6⅜	+ ⅛
Lob Co B	235	$6½	6¾	6⅜	
Lob Co pr	100	$39¼	39¼	39¼	+ ¼
Lob G A pr	10	$22	22	22	
Lob G B pr	137	$22¾	22¾	22¾	+ ¼
Loeb M	2785	$13	12¾	13	+ ⅛
Maclarn B	250	$16½	16½	16½	
Maclean H	380	$60	59¼	60	+ 1
MB Ltd	2601	$24¼	24¼	24¼	
Magma El	605	$7⅞	19¼	19½	+ ⅛
M Lf Gard	195	$37	36¼	37	+ ¼
M Lf Mills	120	$15¼	15¼	15¼	— ¼
Maritime	287	$20¼	20¼	20¼	
Mrtime rts	5766	44	42	42	
Markboro	5495	$6¼	6	6⅛	— ⅛
Markboro w	900	325	310	325	— 5
Mass-Fer	5404	$16¼	15⅝	15¾	— ⅛
MEPC	200	305	305	305	+ 5
Met Stores	175	$32¾	32	32	
Met Stors p	150	20	20	20	
MPG Inv	100	475	475	475	
Mill Brick	1150	$5	470	5	
Moison A	z175	$17⅜	17⅜	17⅜	
Moison B	201	$18½	18½	18½	— ⅛
Mo nFood	225	$10¾	10¾	10¾	— ⅛
Montrex	1200	220	220	230	+10
Montex pr	150	$7¼	7¼	7¼	+ ⅛
M Loco	16700	$15½	14	14¾	— ⅛
Moni Trst	100	$11½	11½	11½	
Moore	5087	$30⅛	29½	29¾	— ⅛
Morse A	z150	$19	18½	18⅞	
Morse pr	50	$51¼	51	51¼	—1¼
Morse B pr	75	$51	51	51	— 1
Murphy	4550	$11½	10⅞	11	— ⅛
Mrphy Pr	610	$30½	30	30⅜	+ ⅜
Nabrs Dig	300	410	410	410	—65
Nat Drug	100	$9	9	9	+ ⅛
Nat Hees	100	445	445	445	—10
Nat Hees p	100	$10	10	10	
Neon	1300	$10¾	10½	10½	
Norandа	2736	$22	21½	21⅝	— ⅛
Nor Ctl G	3355	$11¼	10⅞	10¾	— ⅛
Nor Ctl G p	105	$28¾	27½	27½	— ⅛
Nor Ctl 65p	50	$41¾	41¾	41¾	— ⅛
NCO B 2 p	425	$27¾	27¾	27¾	+ ⅛
Nor Ctl wts	300	400	360	400	

O—S

Ogilvie	3955	$13⅞	13¼	13¾	+ ⅛
Ont Store	2100	$5¾	5¼	5⅝	+ ⅛
Oshawa A	5537	$27⅞	27⅝	27⅝	+ ⅛
Overland	120	$11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	— ¼
Overind pr	204	$11⅝	11¼	11¾	+ ¼
Poc Pete	1920	$19¼	19	19	
Pac Pete w	840	365	340	365	+ 5
Pembina	4485	$21½	20⅝	20⅝	+ ⅛
Pembina p	z13	$46½	46½	46½	
Phillips Cb	300	$9⅜	9¼	9⅜	+ ⅛
Pow Corp	5190	$7⅞	7¼	7⅞	— ⅛
Prem Iron	1000	140	130	140	+ 5
Price Com	560	$9⅝	9¼	9⅜	— ⅛
QN Gas	1572	$8⅝	8¾	8¾	— ⅛
QN Gs 83w	100	250	250	250	
QN Gs 86w	z40	230	230	230	
Rnk O A	12989	$6⅝	6⅜	6¼	+ ⅛
Rapid Gr A	100	$8¼	8¼	8¼	— ⅛
Reichhold	35	$31½	31½	31½	— ⅛
Revelstk	z10	$6⅞	6⅞	6⅞	
Revelstk p	100	$17¼	17¼	17¼	
Revenue	3235	$15¾	15⅝	15½	
Revenue w	100	$11½	11½	11½	+ ⅛
R Nodwell	5300	210	190	210	+ 25
Rockower	900	$11	11	11	+ ⅛
Rolland	120	$7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	+ ⅛
Ronald Fd	125	$15	15	15	
Romfield	5400	10	10	10	
Rothmn	190	$25	24⅞	24⅞	+ ⅛
Roy Bk	12145	$15⅝	15½	15⅝	— ⅛
Royal Trst	800	$17¼	16⅝	16⅝	— ⅛
Ryl T M	275	$16½	16½	16½	+ ⅛
Russell H	400	$14¼	14¼	14¼	+ ⅛
StL Cem A	275	$15	15	15	
StL Cem w	100	150	150	150	—50
StL Corp	257	$21⅝	21⅝	21⅝	
St Maurice	500	45	45	45	— 1
Sayvette	150	300	300	300	+ 5
Scot York	3670	$14	13½	13⅝	— ⅜
Seaway H	1050	85	5	5	— ⅛
Secur Cap	3725	200	200	200	— ⅛
Select Les	100	180	180	180	+10
Selkirk A	620	$15¾	15¼	15⅜	+ ⅜
Shell Inv p	7475	$34	33⅝	33	
Shell Iw	11243	$17	16½	16⅝	
Shell Oil	32225	$33⅞	33¼	33¾	+ ½
Shop Save	407	$11⅝	11½	11⅝	+ ⅛
Shopper Ct	375	460	450	450	—35
Shully's	300	300	300	300	—10
Silvervad B	z49	$15¾	14½	15¾	
Simpsons	677	$35¼	35	35¼	+ ⅜
Simpson S	575	$24½	24	24½	+ ½
Slater Stl	650	$10¼	10	10¼	+ ⅛
Sogemine	255	$14¾	14½	14¾	
Southam	145	$46	45¼	46	
ST Radio	80	$30¼	30½	30¼	
Steel Can	3198	$30¼	30	30	
Steinbg A	2590	$17	16¾	16¾	— ⅛
Stuart H pr	z100	$7¼	7½	7½	
Suptst com	z10	485	465	485	
Supttest od	925	627	26½	26½	+ ⅛

T—Z

Tancord p	200	250	250	250	
Texaco	2513	$32	31	31½	+ ⅜
Thom Npr	125	$39⅞	39⅞	39½	+ ⅜
TT Tailors	100	$23¼	23¼	23¼	— ⅜
Tone Craft	800	$8	8	8	+ ⅛
Tor Dm Bk	3535	$13⅜	13⅜	13½	— ⅜
Towers	100	20	20	20	
Traders A	275	$7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	+ ⅛
Traders 5 p	100	$26	26	26	— 1
Trader 65 w	125	130	130	130	+10
Trader 66 w	1000	220	210	220	+30
Transair	1010	$6¼	6¼	6¼	+ ⅛
Tr Can PL	1116	$26½	26½	26½	+ ⅛
Tr Can Pl p	120	$43¾	43⅝	43⅝	— ⅛
Tr Can P w	1535	735	735	735	— 5
Trans Mt	1110	$18⅞	18⅝	18⅞	+ ⅜
Trans PPL	2990	$9¾	9½	9⅝	
Tru-Wall	700	200	200	200	
UnAcc 2p	700	350	350	350	
Un Carbid	1 80	$6	15⅝	15⅜	— ⅛
Un Gas	7925	$13¼	14⅜	13¾	+ ⅛
Union Oil	400	$57	56	57	+ 1
Un Wbcen	2351	$9¼	8	8¼	+ ⅛
UWbn 6½ p	200	240	40	40	
Un Wbn wt	1900	520	500	520	+25
U Sections	190	$6½	6½	6½	
Vascan	700	$6¼	6¼	6¼	
Versafd	1677	$12⅜	12	12⅜	+ ⅜
Venez pr	200	275	275	275	
Versatile	453	$13⅜	13⅛	13⅜	— ⅛
Versatil A	250	$12½	12	12	
Vic G Tr	z100	$12⅝	12½	12½	
Wajax	200	$13¾	13½	13½	— ⅛
Walmoco	4400	98	95	98	— 1
Walk GW	1170	$33¼	33	33	— ⅛
Weldwod	465	$10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	— ⅛
Weste'st	2948	$25⅜	25	25⅜	+ ⅛
West Ind	400	240	235	235	+10
Westeel	z40	$19	19	19	
W Bridcast	425	$17¾	17½	17¾	+ ¼
W Cdn Seed	1200	300	295	300	+ 5
W Pacific	3005	$6⅝	6½	6¼	
Weston A	9610	$15	14⅝	14¾	— ⅛
Weston B	170	$14½	16½	16½	— ⅛
Wstn 4½p	25	$72	72	72	
Wstn 6or	z10	$85	85	85	
White Pas	420	$27¾	27½	27¾	+ ⅛
Woodwd A	940	$17¾	17⅝	17⅝	
Zellers	165	$26½	26	26½	+ 1
Zenith	200	195	195	195	— 5

FOREIGN TRADING

Cdn Chm wts	300	275	275	275	—150
Alminex	200	650	650	650	+215
Place Gas	300	205	205	205	—10
Agnico	500	142	142	142	—13
Aunor	400	275	275	275	—35
Brunswk	200	540	540	540	—10
Kerr Addison	100	$17¾	17¾	17¾	+1⅛
L Dufault	z50	$10¾	10¾	10¾	+ ½
Leitch G	200	$11¼	11¼	11¼	+ ¼
Northgat	1850	$14	13⅞	14	
Porcupin	140000	$9½	9½	9¼	— ½
Silverfields	400	500	500	500	—25
Siscoe	500	475	475	475	+20
Tech Corp	100	500	500	500	—50
Un Keno	2400	835	835	835	+35

MINES

A—B

Acad Uran	3300	5½	5½	5½	+ ½
Accra	4000	11	11	11	
Acme Gas	7000	17	17	17	
Advocate	4300	290	265	290	+30
Agena Mg	6501	13	12	12½	+ ½
Agnico	500	148	148	148	
Akaitcho	6500	45	45	45	+ 3
Am Larder	1033	30	30	30	
Am Moly	1100	28	28	28	
Ang Ruyn	4450	95	87	95	+ 9
Ang UD	13850	72	70	70	— 2
Area	400	300	295	295	— 5
Argosy	25200	58	53	53	
Arcadia	5000	94½	94	94	— 1
Atl C Cop	1500	68	66	66	— 2
Aunor	1700	276	260	270	+10
Bankeno	1800	104	102	102	— 3
Bankfield	z100	6½	6½	6½	
Barex	1000	34	34	34	— 2
Barnat	1050	33½	33	33	— 2
Bary Expl	z100	23	23	23	
B-Dqu	z200	13	12	12	
Belcher	2800	34	32	32	
Belletere	1000	22½	22½	22½	— ½
Bethlm	6485	770	760	765	
BL Hawk	6000	34	33	33	
Bralorne	1250	210	185	200	—15
Br Reef	19500	29½	28	29	— ½
Brunswk	2475	505	500	500	
Bunker H	z200	13½	13½	13½	

C—E

Calmor IB	200	110	110	110	+ 2
Camflo	3100	380	370	380	+ 5
Camp Chib	400	730	730	730	+10
Camp RL	735	$26¾	26	26½	— ½
C Tung	1000	248	242	242	— 1
C Dyno	4510	219	215	218	
C Jamieso	z400	87	87	87	
Cdn Keely	4000	6½	6½	6½	
C Nisto	24000	50	45	48	+ 2
Candore	6833	12½	12½	12½	— ½
Can-fer	z400	87	87	87	
Cantrl	3250	14	13½	13¾	— ⅛
Captain	2000	14½	14½	14⅝	
Cassiar	160	$17⅛	17⅛	17⅛	— ⅛
Cent Pat	2350	150	147	150	
Chestrvile	9000	27	25	26	
Chib-K	15000	18	17½	17½	— ½
Chib M	z200	53	53	53	
Chim	13250	138	130	131	+ 1
Chrom	100	135	135	135	— 5
Coch Will	2200	113	105	105	—10
Coin Lake	1000	19	19	19	— 1
Comb Met	1500	17	17	17	— 1
Conigo	18500	33	28	28	— 3
C Skawkey	3500	21½	21	21	— ½
C Bell	18800	15½	13	13½	+2½
C Callinan	1000	11	11	11	
Con Fardy	z90	267	267	267	
Con Gillies	1500	6	6	6	
CG Arrow	1000	22½	22½	22½	+1½
C Hall	20470	62	53	55	— 6
C Marben	3020	510	505	510	
C Morrisn	4220	425	395	400	—30
C Neg	14700	73	71	71	— 1
C Rambler	1050	80	80	80	+ 3
C Red P	11000	24½	23½	24	
Conwest	275	630	630	630	+10
Coprcorp	8150	51	48	50	+ 4
Cop Fields	2301	129	126	128	
Cop Man	7990	29	29	29	— 1
Coulee	1000	46	45	46	+ 1
Courvan	1300	12½	12⅜	12½	— ⅛
Craigmt	1460	$12¼	12	12	
Cstland	3749	24½	24	24

BUSINESS VIEWS

New Companies Mount

By AB KENT
Business Editor

B.C. business and industry has done it again—set a new annual record for incorporations—and left a margin in which to go well over last year's mark in the 17 days remaining in 1967.

Up to mid-week there had been 4,805 new British Columbia companies registered since Jan. 1, or 59 more than the previous all-time record of 4,746 registrations listed in 1966.

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Eleven-month figures from the registrar of companies put the cumulative total this year at 4,647, or exactly one company more than the 1965 total.

November saw 386 added to the rolls, an improvement of 34 over November, 1966, but down 11 from the October figure this year.

Since Dec. 1 there have been 158 new names entered and the prediction that the year will end with more than 5,000 registrations seems unquestionable.

There are something like 52,000 B.C. incorporations listed as current and active.

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In the class of extra-provincial registartions—companies having their head offices elsewhere but wishing to do business in B.C.—43 were added last month, against 39 in November, 1966.

There were 139 partnerships, 10 more than in the same month last year, and 26 societies entered, up 11.

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Curiously, three diverse and unconnected new companies having strikingly similar names were admitted to the registry in the past two weeks: Each has chosen the locally significant Indian name Malahat, derived from the Salish tongue for "much bait."

The companies are Malahat Enterprises Ltd., of Victoria; Malahat Logging Ltd., of Campbell River, and Malahat Mines Ltd., of Victoria, which were registered in that order within three days of each other.

Victoria men are involved in all three companies.

Edwin Schroeder and William McCubbin are directors of Malahat Enterprises, which will carry on the business of real estate, investments, management and development; to act as agents, dealers or manufacturers. Authorized capital is $10,000 based on 10,000 shares.

Malahat Logging is subscribed to by Sadi Ram Pallan, Victoria; Edward Joseph Neprauing, of Mission, and Bhagat Ram Pallan, Surrey. It also is capitalized at $10,000 with 10,000 shares.

Subscribers to Malahat Mines are Raymond F. West and Marjorie Anne West, and Joseph T. Hinskens. The company is authorized to have one million shares of no par value to be sold at a maximum price of 50 cents each.

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Matchmaking by computer has arrived.

Two Vancouver draughtsmen, Kenneth Grekul and David Laverock, are directors of a limited company registered Nov. 29 as Dateline Compatability Services Ltd.

Their plan is to introduce persons with similar and compatible interests, organize tours, act as a travel agency, set up theatres and theatrical events, present movies and concerts, print and publish dramatic and musical works, and open restaurants and licensed lounges.

The computer's main role will be to match dates whose statistics, likes, dislikes, preferences, etc., are preprogrammed into the machine. Biology takes over from there.

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The dry Christmas staff party seems to be gaining momentum, according to an Administrative Management Society survey.

Of the companies polled, 68 per cent have a party and almost four out of five pay the full cost.

Nearly half serve beer and liquor, but 32 per cent of the companies surveyed serve no alcoholic beverage whatsoever. Only 25 per cent hold parties on company premises.

GOLD INGOTS SUPPLY RUNS OUT

PARIS (AP)—The supply of gold ingots ran out on the Paris market today but trading continued at a high level with no change in prices. Buyers were told they would have to wait 15 days for delivery.

After about three weeks of frantic speculation following devaluation of the British pound, gold dealers said there just were not enough one-kilogram 2.2-pound ingots available to meet the demand. All orders were accepted, however, and payment must be made by Monday for later delivery.

FRANCE FACING SQUEEZE

LONDON (AP) — A new strategy in the world gold market emerged Wednesday to protect the dollar and possibly put a squeeze on France, chief opponent of the United States in the international monetary wars.

The broad aim of the strategy, worked out last weekend at a meeting of central bankers, with France excluded, is to channel gold sales through the official international pool in London and freeze out speculators.

Since the Bank of France has dropped out of the pool, the French and their shaky economy may have to bear the brunt of private speculative hoarding. That means the French could be forced to put up their own resources or back down in President de Gaulle's fight against the U.S. dollar.

As the new plan became know, first indications were that speculators already were beginning to be frozen out of their past sources and were returning to the Paris gold market, or to less serious speculation in silver.

PLEDGE CO-OPERATION

Central bankers of the seven members of the gold pool met in Basel, Switzerland, last weekend. These seven—the U.S., Britain, Switzerland, West Germany, Italy, Belgium and The Netherlands—are pledged to cooperate in supplying gold buyers from their own reserves at the official U.S. price of $35 an ounce.

Reports of the Basel agreement first leaked out in two of London's leading newspapers, The Times and The Financial Times. They were later confirmed in broad outline by offical sources, but there was no public statement.

BAN CREDIT SALES

Under the new plan, the central banks of the seven gold pool countries have agreed to ban gold sales on credit or for future delivery. This ban limits the speculators' manoeuvring and has in fact been in force in London since the gold rush began just after the 14.3-per cent devaluatin of the pound Nov. 18

In addition, the gold pool members agreed to restrict all sales to other central banks except through the pool. That would give the pool members a chance to scrutinize all potential sales and refuse orders which result from large scale speculation. The policy now is to supply only legitimate requests for gold to back up currency.

NORTH SHORE

Unit Train Facility Anounced

VANCOUVER (CP)—The first facility for handling unit trains in Vancouver harbor will be established by next spring by Neptune Terminals Ltd., company president Donald C. Webster said Wednesday.

He said in a news release Neptune will invest $12,000,000 in construction in preparing a 70-acre terminal site on Vancouver's north shore.

The terminal is located on reclaimed land leased from the National Harbors Board. The lease can be extended to include 60 acres if tonnage develops.

The company has contracts with four Saskatchewan potash producers to handle their overseas shipments, and with Imperial Oil Ltd. for the import of phosphate going to their fertilizer plant at Red Water, Alta.

The primary development phase, which will cost $7,000,000, will provide two berths, one for loading potash and one for discharging phosphate rock from Florida.

The second phase entails construction of a third berth for loading coal. This is dependent upon conclusion of a coal exporting agreement between McIntyre-Porcupine Mines, owners of the Smoky River coal deposits in northwest Alberta, and Japanese buyers.

U.S. Jobless Rate Shows Improvement

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The U.S. unemployment rate dipped four-tenths of 1 per cent in November to 3.9 per cent of the labor force, the government has reported. It was the sharpest one-month decline since mid-1961.

Arthur Ross, head of the labor department's bureau of labor statistics, said the drop in joblessness between October and November was due principally to the end of strikes and a surge in economic activity.

$ EXCHANGE

VICTORIA — Banks buying cheques 7⅛ premium, notes 7⅛ premium and silver 5. Selling cheques at 8⅜ premium; notes 8⅛ premium.

MONTREAL (CP)—The U.S. dollar in terms of Canadian funds was unchanged at $1.08. Pound sterling was down 3/16 at $2.59½.

NEW YORK (CP) — Canadian dollar unchanged at 92 37/64 in terms of U.S. funds. Pound sterling down 15/64 at $2.40 21/64.

Sweden Raises Bank Rate

STOCKHOLM (Reuters) — The Swedish National Bank announced today that the bank rate will be raised Friday to six from five per cent.

Recent falls in the Swedish gold and foreign currency reserves were officially cited as reasons for the increase.

In the week ending Nov. 30 the drop was more than 300,000,000 crowns ($62,000,000).

The increase was expected ever since the devaluation of the British pound Nov. 18 and the increase in the British bank rate to eight per cent.

This was the third bank rate change here this year. Feb. 2 the rate was reduced half a point from six per cent — the highest rate since 1932—and March 9 a further half a point to five per cent.

It was only because of the severe competitiveness of foreign interest rates that the decision was made to raise the rate.

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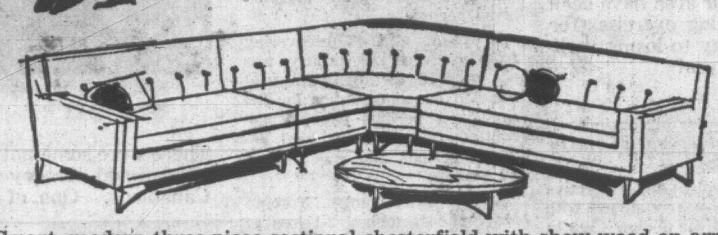
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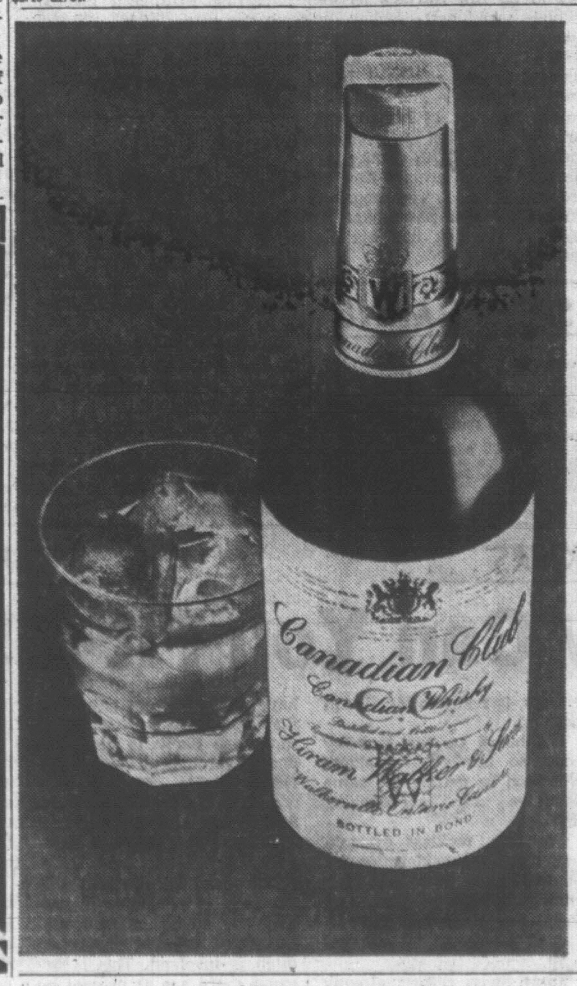

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Room for Beliveau Where Toe Prances

Blake Ejected But Jean Proves Able Replacement

By Canadian Press

Jean Bealiveau may have started a new career with Montreal Canadiens Wednesday night as he led them to a 6-2 victory over Boston Bruins in one of five National Hockey League games played.

The big centre didn't play. He was behind the bench, replacing coach Toe Blake, who was tossed out of the game after the first period by referee Bill Friday.

Blake protested too strenuously a goal scored by Ken Hodge that gave the Bruins a 1-0 lead. It appeared, to him, the Bruins had too many men on the ice during a line change and delayed penalty.

Beliveau, still is recovering from a severe knee injury, was not dressed for the game and handled coaching duties for the final two periods when Blake continued arguing the goal between periods and was ejected by Friday.

In the other games, Toronto Maple Leafs took a 2-1 loss at the hands of Pittsburgh Penguins, Chicago Black Hawks battered New York Rangers 5-2, Minnesota North Stars blanked Los Angeles Kings 4-0 and St. Louis Blues dropped Oakland Seals into the Western Division cellar 3-1.

CHEEVERS KEPT BUSY

The Canadiens had the run of the play throughout the game with Boston goalie Gerry Cheevers handling 16 shots in the first period and 39 in the game compared with 22 by Montreal's Gump Worsley.

Less than four minutes after the opening faceoff, Ted Harris of Montreal and Gary Doak of Boston squared off. The incident had all the ingredients for a repeat of the Pier Six brawl the two clubs engaged in when they last met at Boston. Cooler heads interceded, however, and the skirmish was one of the few times players threatened to forget the game.

Jacques Lemaire scored twice to lead the Canadiens with single goals going to John Ferguson, Ralph Backstrom, Danny Grant and Carol Vadnais. Phil Esposito scored Boston's second goal.

HOME STREAK ENDED

The Penguins ended Leafs 11-game winning streak at home when Ken Schinkel tipped in a deflection midway through the final period after Art Stratton had scored earlier against Johnny Bower who was tagged with a tripping penalty and misconduct in the third period.

Stan Mikita scored twice and assisted once with Bobby Hull getting a goal and assist as Chicago moved into a second-place tie in the Eastern Division with Toronto, three points behind Boston.

The goals were numbers 16 and 17 for Mikita and moved him into fourth spot in league scoring. But Hull, with 25 goals and 13 assists in 28 games, still leads all scorers.

At Minneapolis, Cesare Maniago registered the first shutout of the season for Minnesota and kept Los Angeles within range of Philadelphia Flyers in the Western Division.

The shutout was the third of Maniago's NHL career with the other two coming while he was with New York.

Wayne Connelly scored two for Minnesota and Bob Woytowich and Parker MacDonald one each.

BLUES ON STREAK

Gary Sabourin scored his first two NHL goals to pace the Blues out of the western cellar as St. Louis won it's third straight game—the team's longest win streak of the season.

Jim Roberts scored St. Louis' opening goal and Alain Caron hit for Los Angeles with the Blues a man short early in the third period.

Oakland is expected to dress centre Larry Popein Friday against Boston after bringing him up from Vancouver Canucks of the Western League where he's spent the last seven years.

On the basis of his seven goals and four assists in 25 games this year, the Seals purchased Popein and assigned Joe Szura to Buffalo Bisons of the American League.

(See summaries page 15.)

HOT TEMPERS IN OLD BOSTON

There were some hot moments in Boston Garden Wednesday night in National Hockey League game between Bruins and Montreal Canadiens. One of them arrived in first period and linesman Ron Ego has hands full trying to cool tempers after Boston's Ken Hodge (left) and Serge Savard tangled in fight that, surprisingly, did not produce penalty to either player. (AP Wirephoto.)

SPORTS

DOUG PEDEN, Sports Editor

Spring Swing May Be Killer For Sandown

By DOUG PEDEN

Now that horse racing fans in our area have been relegated to patrons of spring training exercises for Thoroughbreds, are they on their way to losing their annual Sandown Park fling at the races?

You'd better believe it!

There was the aroma of another victory for big business at Vancouver Monday night when horsemen agreed to major changes in B.C. racing dates for the 1968 season.

When members of the Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association voted 79 to 69 to approve a one-year contract with the B.C. Jockey Club, they probably enabled the Jockey Club to transfer its monsoon-season headaches from money-making Exhibition Park to little Sandown by the Sea. In so doing, they may have sold Vancouver Island turf fans down a river swollen by spring rains and opened the gates for a flood that will eventually wash all our racing dates over to the posh confines of Exhibition Park.

The new agreement calls for an 11-day meeting at Sandown, starting April 6, and a 101-day fiesta at Vancouver, from May 3 until Oct. 19. Last year there was a 93-day session on the mainland, running from April 14 to Sept. 13 and a 17-day visit to the Sandown strip, from Sept. 16 to Oct. 14.

Of course, there is a possibility that Sandown's April exercise will be extended to 14 days of racing. There is a provision to add three Fridays to the racing days of Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays it attendance warrants such a move.

But do the Jockey Club people actually expect encouraging attendance at an April meet?

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They have only to recall memories of last April, when atrocious weather reduced crowds and caused them to lose a bundle at Exhibition Park. Vancouver's long season eventually enabled them to show good profit figures for the year but what chance does an 11-day session have to recover from a bad start if the April rains perform in their normal pattern at Sidney?

Weather is going to be only a part of the Sidney sadness. Students of Thoroughbred racing know that an April meet here will not draw horses of a reasonable calibre. Even a spokesman for Vancouver Island horsemen admits an April program at Sandown will become merely a training session for owners aiming at the larger Vancouver purses. And it would be surprising if many mainland trainers would ship their better horses to Sidney for an 11-day meet in the mud. In fact, some are predicting there won't be enough horses of any calibre on the grounds to provide acceptable racing.

At last fall's Sandown meeting there was at least the satisfaction of watching fit horses that had been running at Vancouver.

The meet also attracted some Prairie horses, following the end of their regular season. Now these, along with Seattle runners, will add interest at Vancouver.

It was unfortunate the last two weeks at Sandown in October were marred by heavy rain, which resulted in drops in attendance and wagering. However, a bigger reason for the decrease was the failure of the operators—after spending huge sums to make Exhibition Park a comfortable betting place—to improve Sandown facilities. Under decent conditions, the fall rains would probably have had far less effect on Victoria patrons.

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You can be certain there will be no major improvements at Sandown for next season or that the Jockey Club actually expects increased crowds for inferior races amid spring showers. It seems to be fitting into a calculated pattern that will have the operators, moaning over losses at Sandown, asking for permission in 1969 or 1970 to have Victoria's racing transferred to Vancouver. Thus, Island horsemen may soon be wtihout even a "training" track at Sandown.

Of course, you probably couldn't blame horsemen for going along with the plan for a switch in dates. The 1968 contract was wrapped up in a neat package, with a much-improved purse schedule in Vancouver dangled as bait.

In all, there will be 30 races worth $5,000 or more, compared with 28 last year. Also included are 13 races at $3,000-added, 17 at $2,100 and 22 at $2,200. There will be three sets of guaranteed minimum purses—$1,425, $1,480 and $1,550.

Also offered to horsemen was a five per cent track bonus on Vancouver play over a daily average of $238,912. Last year's daily play averaged $250,319.

Jack Diamond, co-president of the Jockey Club, also confirmed there is an excellent chance racing under lights will be tried next season at Ex. Park, with a post time of 6 p.m. This could bring another increase in mutuel play.

On Sandown, Diamond said:

"We had to do something about Sandown. It was going nowhere in the fall. This is a bit of an experiment and if it works out then we can consider some improvements at Sandown."

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While we don't actually believe Diamond expects his "experiment" to work out and can't blame the horsemen for agreeing to a spring "training exercise," we believe the fans deserve greater consideration.

Victorians have proved before that given a fair racing card and reasonable weather, they will suffer the rigors of Sandown facilities to push money into the mutuels, which must be fed to make racing possible.

Perhaps we would be better off without racing. But if our fans want to have their fun with the ponies, they should get their fair share of racing days, plus the kind of racing and facilities that will give them a chance to prove they can support the sport.

Dates have yet to be approved by the British Columbia Racing Comimssion and we believe the commission should take a serious look at the proposal and perhaps call a public hearing before opening the door for the eventual abandonment of Sandown. After all, there should be more to racing than money and there must be more to this province than Vancouver.

If people in this area resent what is happening to Sandown, they should let the commission know how they feel, acting quickly before a meeting is held to rule on the proposed 1968 dates. The man to write is Ken McConnell, Secretary; The B.C. Racing Commission, 635 Burrard Street, Vancouver.

You might be able to do something about it!

Mountainmen Climb

Mount Douglas Mountainmen slipped into a first-place tie with Claremont Wednesday by blanking Victoria High, 12-0, in an Inter-High School Rugby League match on the losers' home grounds.

The defending champion Mountainmen could manage only three points in the first half, on a try by Jack Clerkson, while fullback John Howe kept the Vics off the scoreboard with several good tackles.

Howe, replacing injured Lorne Bunyan at fullback, opened second-half scoring with a penalty goal.

Clerkson and Tom Carson collected trys later in the half

JUNIOR SUMMARIES

	GP	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Penticton	19	17	2	0	113	51	34
Kamloops	20	11	9	0	111	96	22
N. Westminster	18	9	7	2	85	98	20
Vernon	18	7	8	3	78	88	17
VICTORIA	20	4	13	3	69	104	11
Kelowna	17	3	12	2	63	82	8

Next game: Friday — Kelowna at Penticton.

VICTORIA 6, NEW WESTMINSTER 4

FIRST PERIOD

1. New Westminster, Wilcox (Wallis) 1:01.
2. New Westminster, Wilcox (Coates, Watson) 7:31.
3. New Westminster, Wallis (Leswick, Allegretto) 15:12.

Penalties—Whiting (V) 12:49; Wallis (NW) 12:49.

SECOND PERIOD

4. New Westminster, Wallis (Wilcox) 1:28.

Penalties — McIlhargey (NW) 6:31; Webb (V) 7:37; Collingwood (NW) 12:09; Janen (NW) 15:15; Sanders (V) 19:34.

THIRD PERIOD

No scoring.

Penalties—Knight (NW) 4:06; Dorohoy (NW) 9:31; Whitting (V) 9:31; Webb (V) 16:10; McIlhargey (NW) 19:08.

Saves:

Lang (NW)	9	7	4	—20
Finlay (V)	10	12	17	—39

VERNON 3, KAMLOOPS 9

FIRST PERIOD

1. Kamloops, Rota (Tarnow, Harpe) 6:24.
2. Kamloops, McNeill (Steinke) 7:18.
3. Kamloops, Rota (Beauchamp) 14:11.
4. Kamloops, Ferg (Evans, McNeill) 16:15.

Penalties — Begg (K) 5:15.

SECOND PERIOD

5. Kamloops, Tarnow (Rota, Beauchamp) 4:34.
6. Kamloops, Ferg (Evans, Morrey) 7:36.
7. Kamloops, McNeill (Evans, Morrey) 13:26.
8. Vernon, Mayer (Rolston, Quechuk) 16:11.
9. Kamloops, Evans (Ferg) 19:58.

Penalties — Beauchamp (K) 5:28; Rolston (V) 7:14; Reilly (V) 12:06.

THIRD PERIOD

10. Vernon, Serviss (Hackman); :38.
11. Kamloops, Morrey (Begg) 13:30.
12. Vernon, Vachon (Mayer, Peropolkin) 18:13.

Penalties — Quechuck (V) 3:45, Steinke (K) 6:15; Evans (K) 8:11; Quechuk (V) major 8:35; Marsh (V) 9:39; Williamson (V) 12:47; Evans (K) 12:47; Kamloops (to many men on the ice) 16:55; Harp (K) 17:12; Marsh (V) 19:42.

Saves:

Deneault (Kamloops)	9	11	7	27
Gilroy (Vernon)	7	12	9	28

Attendance — 1,100.

SHORTS IN SPORTS

Soccer Santa Drops Bundles

Times News Services

A soccer Santa Claus delivered the equivalent of $500,000 to two persons who invested a penny apiece in an English soccer pool.

Christina Tipton, a 69-year-old Liverpool lady, and **John Horseman**, a 46-year-old former professional boxer who now is a docker in County Durham, split the prize between them.

The lucky pair were the only ones to pick as many as eight ties in weekend soccer games. There were nine.

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Elsewhere and otherwise:

In skiing — **Gerhard Nenning** of Austria scored a brilliant surprise victory in the first major international Alpine race on the pre-Olympic ski program today as he won the giant slalom of the Criterium of the First Snow after Switzerland's **Kurt Hugler**, credited with the fastest time, was disqualified . . . Nenning was clocked in one minute, 48.3 seconds . . . **Guy Perilat** of France was second in 1:50.2.

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In racing — **Jorge Velasquez** rode a horse named Simpleton into the winner's circle Wednesday to tie **Bill Hartack** as the second winningest jockey in racing history for a single season . . . The young Panamanian almost collapsed from heat exhaustion and had to cancel the rest of his mounts for the day, but not before pushing in his 417th winner for the year in the seventh race at Tropical Park . . . The record is 485 set by **Bill Shoemaker** in 1953 . . . Hartack had his big year in 1955.

SPORTS MENU

TONIGHT

BASKETBALL
7 and 8:30 p.m.—Senior Men's League, Colony vs. Farmer Construction, Red Lion vs. Labatts, Lansdowne Junior High School.

FRIDAY

HOCKEY
7:45 and 9:15 p.m.—Vancouver Island League, Stockers vs. Queen's Own Rifles, Port Alberni vs. Tudors, Sports Centre.

BASKETBALL
8:30 p.m.—Inter-High School League, University School at Mount Douglas.

BOWLER OF WEEK

Winner of men's tenpin award in 10th week of Bowler-of-the-Week contest is Bill McKay, who paced male keglers with three-game total of 644. Driver-salesman for importing firm, Bill blasted pins for games of 193, 237 and 214 in Starlighters' League at Mayfair Lanes. He is now eligible for Bowler-of-the-Year rolloffs in May.

Wings Call High Scorer

DETROIT (AP)—Detroit Red Wings Tuesday called up Gary Marsh, 21, from Fort Worth Wings of the Central Hockey League and sent Rick McCann, 21, to Fort Worth.

Marsh, a left winger, will play his first National League game Thursday against Chicago in Detroit, the Wings said.

McCann played three games with Detroit without scoring a point. Marsh was third in the CHL with 12 goals and 13 assists for 25 points.

Cougar Moves Stalled By 'Parking Problem'

Lack of aggressiveness is costing Victoria Cougars precious points in their bid to climb the British Columbia Junior Hockey League ladder.

"It's the same story in front of either goal," said Cougar coach Doug Anderson after fifth-place Victoria was shut out, 4-0, by the Royals in New Westminster on Wednesday.

"Our forwards aren't aggressive enough when they get in front of the rivals' goal," was Anderson's summation. "That's why we're not getting any goals.

"It's the same thing at the other end, too. The defensemen let anybody and everybody park in front."

VERNON NEXT

Cougars, who have been shut out twice in their last two games, have given up 27 goals in four games. And "greater desire" is the point Anderson plans to hammer home this week as Cougars prepare for Saturday night's game against Vernon Essos at Memorial Arena.

Cougars gave up all four goals Wednesday in the first 22 minutes of play. Royals' Ray Wallis and Barry Wilcox each scored twice.

Cougars again played without first-line centre Dennis Ferrill, but regular Murray Finlay was back in goal after missing the past three games.

Finlay played a strong game, blocking 39 shots.

ROCKETS CUT LOOSE

In the only other game played Wednesday, Kamloops Rockets retained their two-point hold on second place by lacing Vernon 9-2.

Kamloops scored seven goals before Vernon managed a goal at 16:00 of the second period before 1,100 fans.

Randy Rota, Jim McNeill and Marv Ferg each scored two goals for the winners. Ken Tarnow, Grant Evans and Larry Morrey scored the single markers.

Gerry Vachon, Bob Mayer and Tom Serviss were the Vernon marksmen.

Fourteen penalties were called in the game, 10 in the final period when the game became rough. Lawrence Quechuk of Vernon received a five-minute major for spearing midway through the final period.

Lakehead Stars Defeat Romania

FORT WILLIAM (CP) — Romania's national hockey team Wednesday lost its third game against four wins and one tie in its present exhibition tour, going down 7-3 against Lakehead University All-Stars.

Only two penalties were handed out both to the All-Stars.

COLTS' UNITAS VOTED MOST VALUABLE PLAYER

NEW YORK (AP)—John Unitas, the veteran quarterback who has led Baltimore Colts through 13 games without defeat, has been voted the Most Valuable Player in the National Football League by a landslide vote of an Associated Press panel.

Only four players were mentioned in the balloting.

Unitas, completing his 12th season in a rags-to-riches pro career, received 40 votes. Dave Deacon Jones, defensive end of Los Angeles Rams, drew three and running backs Leroy Kelly of Cleveland Browns and Gale Sayers of Chicago Bears each got two.

Although Unitas wasn't even mentioned last year—Bart Starr of Green Bay Packers won the award—and didn't even get a vote on the 1966 all-star team, the 34-year-old recaptured his magic this season.

During the season Unitas has added to his own NFL records for touchdown passes (251) and yards gained passing (32,815 yards or about 19 miles), and also has passed Y. A. Tittle for league records with most completions (2,242) and most passes attempted (4,066).

Bucks' Defence Had the Answers

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP) — Portland Buckaroos of the Western Hockey League beat Rochester Americans of the American Hockey League 4-0 Wednesday night, sending the Amerks home with a 3-2 record on their swing through the West.

The interlocking game was the only one scheduled Wednesday in either league. It counts on both teams' season records.

Portland pulled out to a 2-0 lead in the first period on goals by Doug Messier and Larry Leach.

Two more goals came in the second period on shots by Mel Pearson and Cliff Sehmautz.

The Bucks preserved goalie Marv Edwards' second shutout of the season, despite the fact that Portland was short two men because of penalties during the last 1½ minutes of the game.

	GP	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Seattle	26	14	10	2	72	68	30
San Diego	22	12	9	1	83	70	25
Portland	22	12	9	1	76	81	25
Vancouver	27	10	15	2	77	96	22
Phoenix	27	7	18	2	74	114	16
AHL	36	20	14	2	128	111	—

Next game: Tonight — Seattle at Phoenix.

ROCHESTER 0, PORTLAND 4

FIRST PERIOD

1. Portland, Messier, 2:38.
2. Portland, Leach (Pearson, A. Schmautz), 11:45.

Penalties: None.

SECOND PERIOD

3. Portland, Pearson (A. Schmautz), 10:08.
4. Portland, C. Schmautz (Madigan, Messier), 15:28.

Penalties: Madigan (P) 3:02, Armstrong (R) 15:55.

THIRD PERIOD

No scoring.

Penalties: Hextall (R) 4:54, Johnson (P) 18:29, Messier (P) 18:29.

Shots on goal by:

Rochester	7	10	8	—25
Portland	15	6	7	—28

Attendance 4,408.

Wimbledon Open to Pros

LONDON (AP)—The British Lawn Tennis Association decided today to throw open the Wimbledon championship next year to both professionals and amateurs.

The British, who have been sponsoring the idea of open tournaments similar to those in golf for years, announced two months ago that they probably would make the move. The idea was opposed by many tennis playing nations while others gave reluctant approval.

NUMATA LOSES WORLD CROWN

TOKYO (AP) — Hiroshi Kobayashi won the world junior lightweight championship tonight by knocking out Toshiaki Numata in 1:56 of the 12th round of the first world title fight between two Japanese boxers.

Kobayashi, 23, floored the defender four times, including the knockout. He dropped Numata with a right to the jaw in the sixth round and felled him three times in the 12th.

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By GEOFFREY ATKINS

GENEVA, Switzerland (AP) — Ever been handed a speeding ticket by a cop on skis? It could happen in the not too distant future.

An assembly of international lawyers met recently in the Swiss resort of St. Moritz to draw up a ski code of do's-and-don'ts on the slopes. And the Swiss government, concerned about the greatly increased number of skiing accidents, is ready to give it full backing.

It's based on the highway code, so law-breaking skiers will soon be getting the same penalties as law-breaking drivers.

Speeding, reckless overtaking, lack of consideration for others, failure to control your skis—even being drunk on them—are some of the offences you could be charged with.

Some Swiss resorts already have police officers patrolling the slopes on skis. Now, many more are likely to be introduced throughout the Alps. Other Alpine countries are watching developments in Switzerland and are expected to follow suit if they are effective.

One of the main problems in the case of accidents is pinning the blame on someone, especially because insurance often is involved. This is because there are at present no laws to govern behavior on the slopes.

The Swiss do not propose to introduce new laws. But they hope to control skiing conduct effectively by applying two relatively unknown articles in the Swiss Penal Code to all incidents on the slopes.

Article 125 says: "He who, by negligence, is responsible for an attack on the corporal integrity of another person (e.g. he flattens you on skis), or otherwise on that person's health (he misses you, but scares you to death), will be following any official complaint, punished by imprisonment or a fine and, in a serious case, further pursued before the law." In case this leaves any loopholes, Article 41 will also apply: "He who causes, in an illegal manner, hurt to another, either intentionally or because of negligence or imprudence, is legally bound to repair the damage."

NHL SUMMARIES

EASTERN DIVISION

	GP	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Boston	36	15	7	4	93	71	34
Toronto	27	13	9	5	83	58	31
Chicago	28	12	9	7	84	81	31
Detroit	26	13	8	6	85	74	30
New York	29	13	11	4	77	73	30
Montreal	28	9	12	7	68	65	25

WESTERN DIVISION

	GP	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Los Angeles	27	13	11	3	74	83	29
Philadelphia	25	12	9	4	57	58	28
Pittsburgh	27	11	13	3	73	80	25
Minnesota	26	9	11	6	61	71	24
St. Louis	26	8	14	2	52	68	18
Oakland	27	6	16	5	53	77	17

Next games: Tonight — Chicago at Detroit; St. Louis at Philadelphia.

PITTSBURGH 2, TORONTO 1

FIRST PERIOD
No scoring.
Penalties: Schinkel (P) 8:09; Carleton (T) 16:58.
SECOND PERIOD
1. Toronto, Ellis (12) (Walton) 8:27.
2. Pittsburgh, Stratton (11) (Schinkel) 11:32.
Penalties: Pronovost (T) 12:36; Bathgate (P) 14:33.
THIRD PERIOD
3. Pittsburgh, Shinkel (9) (Price) 8:59.
Penalties: Walton (T) 5:46; Price (P) 10:14; Mahovlich (T) 11:25; Bower (T) (minor and misconduct) 16:01 (served by Pronovost); Price (P) 16:21.
Shots on goal by:

Pittsburgh	9	9	12	30
Toronto	9	11	11	31

Attendance: 15,718.

OAKLAND 1, ST. LOUIS 3

FIRST PERIOD
No scoring.
Penalty — Baun (O) 11:49.
SECOND PERIOD
1. St. Louis, Roberts (7) (Picard, McKenny) 7:37.
2. St. Louis, Sabourin (1) (Crisp, Marseille) 8:52.
3. St. Louis, Sabourin (2) (Crisp, Plager) 16:18.
Penalties—Arbour (SL) 2:29; St. Louis (too many men on the ice); Saura (O) 7:27; Caron (O) 15:15.
THIRD PERIOD
4. Oakland, Caron (5) (Odrowski, Harris) 3:49.
Penalties—Hucul (O) 3:39; Bower (O), Roberts (double minors) (SL) 11:25; Thurlby (O) 13:35; Picard (SL) 14:43.
Shots on goal by:

Oakland	8	7	9	24
St. Louis	17	9	7	33

MONTREAL 6, BOSTON 2

FIRST PERIOD
1. Boston, Hodge (6) (Esposito, Westfall) 7:47.
Penalties: Richard (M) 2:28; Redmond (M), Harris (M) major, Doak (B) (double minor, major) 3:22; Smith (B) 5:37; Backstrom (M), Doak (B) 18:07.
SECOND PERIOD
2. Boston, Esposito (1) (Lonsberry, Hodge) 4:32.
3. Montreal, Ferguson (1) (Backstrom Vadnais) 5:04.
4. Montreal, Lemaire (8) (J. C. Tremblay, Backstrom) 8:06.
5. Montreal, Backstrom (9) (Laperriere, J. C. Tremblay) 18:00.
Penalties: Rousseau (M) (misconduct) 4:32; Shack (B) 6:01; Awrey (B) 6:47; Sanderson (B) 16:23.
THIRD PERIOD
6. Montreal, Grant (1) (Laperriere, Provost) 3:00.
7. Montreal, Lemaire (9), (Redmont, Grant) 6:39.
8. Montreal, Vadnais (1) (Lemaire, Sevard) 17:56.
Penalties: Shack (B), Harper (M) 19:07.
Shots on goal by:

Montreal	16	19	10	45
Boston	9	9	11	25

Attendance: 13,909.

NEW YORK 2, CHICAGO 5

FIRST PERIOD
1. Chicago, R. Hull (25) (Mohns, Jarrett) 1:51.
2. New York, Nevin (10) (Goyette) 7:15.
3. Chicago, Mikita (16) (Jarrett, Pilote) 11:45.
Penalties: Brown (NY), Marotte (C) :28; Pilote (C) 14:26; Brown (NY) 18:54.
SECOND PERIOD
4. Chicago, Mikita (17) (R. Hull, Wharram) 14:14.
Penalties: Stewart (NY) :53; Marotte (C) 9:47; Gilbert (NY) 13:01.
THIRD PERIOD
5. Chicago, Wharram (9) (Mikita, Mohns) 15:44.
6. New York, Nevin (11) (Goyette, Marshall) 16:06.
7. Chicago, C. Maki (4) (D. Hull, Stanley) 17:39.
Penalties: Wharram (C) 11:06; Nielson (NY) 15:14.
Shots on goal by:

New York	16	11	11	38
Chicago	10	13	8	31

Attendance: 16,680.

LOS ANGELES 6, MINNESOTA 4

FIRST PERIOD
1. Minnesota, Connelly (9) (Balon) 1:09.
2. Minnesota, Woytowich (3) (Goldsworthy, Taylor) 13:56.
Penalty—McCord (M) 6:06.
SECOND PERIOD
3. Minnesota, P. MacDonald (4) (Cullen, Collins) 14:37.
Penalty — Wall (LA) 14:46.
THIRD PERIOD
4. Minnesota, Connelly (10) Vasko, Boudrias) 18:45
Penalties — Wall (LA) 4:33; Amadio (LA) 19:38.
Shots on goal by:

Los Angeles	8	10	9	27
Minnesota	9	11	10	30

Attendance: 7,917.

Vikings to Pick First In Pro Football Draft

NEW YORK (AP) — Commissioner Pete Rozelle announced Wednesday the combined player draft of the American and National Football Leagues will start here Tuesday, Jan. 30.

The Minnesota Vikings, who acquired the New York Giants' special bonus pick last year in the Fran Tarkenton deal, will get the first selection. The Vikings are coached by Bud Grant, former Winnipeg Blue Bomber coach-general manager.

Rozelle said the draft will consist of 17 rounds and is expected to last two or more days with 26 teams participating, including the new Cincinnati franchise in the AFL.

TOSS OF COIN

A total of 462 players will be selected, including 28 extra selections voted for the new Cincinnati Bengals who will begin play as the AFL's 10th team in 1968.

Drafting will be in reverse order of the teams' won-lost percentage rating in the combined 1967 standings of both leagues. Coin flips will determine priority in case of ties.

Only players who have completed their college eligibility will be selected.

VANCOUVER, TORONTO INCLUDED IN PRO SOCCER MARRIAGE

Canadian Cities Survive

CHICAGO (CP) — Professional soccer franchises in Vancouver and Toronto survived union of the United Soccer Association and the National Professional Soccer League Wednesday.

Instead of pulling out of Vancouver and Toronto in the new 20-team, two-division alignment, the league bought one of two existing Toronto franchises and merged a San Francisco franchise with that of Vancouver, leaving the team in Vancouver.

Both the Vancouver and San Francisco teams were in the United Association, but in Toronto there was a team in each league.

Reports indicate that the Toronto City franchise in the United Association owned by Steve Stavro was purchased by the new league for $160,000, leaving the Toronto Falcon franchise intact.

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Toronto Falcons, of the NPSL, are owned by Joe Peters of Toronto.

Under agreement reached at the meeting, an $18,000,000 anti-trust suit filed against the United Association and the U.S. Soccer Football Association by the NPSL will be dropped when amalgamation is completed.

Prior to agreement being reached, the United Association was approved by the Federal International de Football Association (FIFA), which controls world professional soccer, while the NPSL had operated without sanction.

It also was agreed that there will be no two-team cities in the new league with two teams in New York merging and second teams in Chicago, Los Angeles and Boston moving to cities yet to be decided on.

The league will operate with two divisions, the United and National. New York will be in the National and Los Angeles in the United.

The United Division will be headed by Dick Walsh, commissioner of the USA, and Ken Macker, NPSL commissioner, will head the National.

To complete differences between the two leagues, Walsh said USA and NPSL officials will meet with the FIFA in Zurich Dec. 16 and with the Canadian Soccer Football Association as soon as possible thereafter.

The new 20-team league will include Atlanta, Baltimore, Boston, Chicago, Cleveland, Dallas, Detroit, Houston, Los Angeles, New York, Oakland, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, St. Louis, Toronto, Vancouver, Washington, D.C., plus relocated Boston of the USA and Chicago and Los Angeles of the NPSL.

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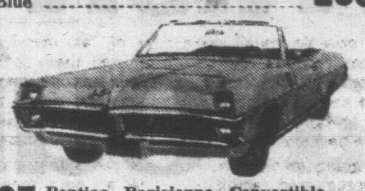
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Mountain Boys Get Six Berths

Six players from last season's inter-high school rugby champions, Mount Douglas Mountainmen, have been named to the lower island representatives side that will tackle Glenalmond Trinity College of Scotland Saturday at Macdonald Park.

Named to a wing three-quarter position was Rod Fiddick, star of the championship team last season at Mount Douglas and now taking grade 13 at Claremont. Fiddick plays with the James Bay Athletic Association's first division rugby team and is the B.C. schoolboy 100-yard sprint champion.

Coach Morris Preece and assistant Tillman Briggs have also named second row Gary Worth, scrum-half John Leier, fly-half Brian Butler, and centres Paul Burgoyne and Tom Carsons of the current Mount Douglas team to starting positions.

From Claremont come full-back Wayne Ruffle and eighth man Dave Kyle.

Duncan's Cowichan High is represented by prop Brian Carter, hooker Brian Mann and second row Andy Huchuskis.

Breaks Rob Child and Steve Warren of Oak Bay, winger Les Hudson of Mount View, and prop Tom Wood of Victoria High complete the first side.

Reserves are Bob Nelson of Mount View, Lorne Bunyan of Mt. Douglas, and Lou Michilli of Cowichan.

Briggs expects the all-stars to extend the visitors in Saturday's game, which starts at 2 p.m.

CONDITION A-FACTOR

He also said that their lack of experience as a team would go against them, "particularly in positional play." It would be a case of whether their athletic ability would be able to overcome the teamwork and experience of the Trinity College squad.

"Conditioning is also a factor," he added, "Our boys have been concerned with exams and aren't in the condition they would be in the apex of the season, while Glenalmond should be recovered from their trip and in the peak of condition."

Soviets Start Tour at Hull

Moscow Selects, scheduled to meet the western section of Canada's national hockey team at Memorial Arena on Dec. 22, will play nine other games during a Canadian tour.

The Russians, who begin their tour Saturday at Hull, Que., are scheduled to play the following games:

Dec. 16, against Canada's eastern national team in Hull, Que.; Dec. 17, Flin Flon, Man., vs. the Bombers; Dec. 19, Kimberley, B.C., vs. the Dynamiters; Dec. 20, Trail, B.C., vs. Western International League All-Stars.

Dec. 22, Victoria, vs. western national team; Dec. 23, Vancouver, vs. western nationals; Dec. 26, Calgary, vs. the Spurs; Dec. 28, Kitchener, Ont.; Dec. 29, Sudbury, Ont.; Dec. 31, Brockville, Ont.

Final three opponents are yet to be named.

ROD FIDDDICK

Scottish Visitors Blank Shawnigan

It's three down and one to go for Scotland's touring schoolboy rugby team on a visit to Vancouver Island.

Glenalmond Trinity College, which had earlier defeated University School and Brentwood College, collected a third straight victory Wednesday by blanking Shawnigan Lake School 23-0 on the Brentwood College pitch.

The quick and competent Scots wind up the Island portion of a five-game Canadian tour Saturday, when they face the Lower Island high school all-stars at Macdonald Park.

Again dominating action with strong forward play and co-ordinated backfield thrusts, the Glenalmond lads forged into an 11-0 lead at half time and added four unconverted tries after the intermission despite finishing with one player on the sidelines.

Prop forward Robin McMillan suffered leg and back injuries early in the second half and was unable to continue.

Winger Ewen Kerr and George Burt, both Scottish all-stars, continued to sparkle in the Glenalmond backfield and each scored two tries. Kerr now has six tries for the three games and Burt has five.

Standoff Chris Wilson opened the scoring with a drop goal and the visitors completed their first-half on a try by Kerr and David Gordon's penalty goal and conversion.

Bob Will, who gave Glenalmond an advantage in tight scrums with his quick hooking of the ball, scored the first try of the second half. Kerr followed with his second try and Burt wrapped things up by crossing the Shawnigan line twice.

Shawnigan coach Derek Hyde-Lay said he was pleased with his club's performance and that the opposition was a "little bit more polished and a little bit more sophisticated."

Outstanding on the Shawnigan team were centre Ian Fairweather, a determined defender; winger Doug Hansen, a dangerous attacker, and forward Steve Luce, strong in lineouts.

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Reading 6, Aldershot 2.
Shrewsbury Town 3, Darlington 0.
Top Lawtown 5, Mansfield 1.
Yeovil Town 1, Margate 3.

First-Round Replays

Exeter City 0, Nuneaton Borrough 0.
MacClesfield Town 2, Stockport County 1.
Oxford United 3, Chelmsford City 3.

ENGLISH CUP
Quarter-Final

Leeds United 2, Stoke City 0.

EUROPEAN CUP WINNERS' CUP
Second Round, 2nd Leg

Tottenham Hotspur 4, Olympique Lyonnais 3.
Olympique qualifies on total-goal aggregate.

Rocks' Officers Return to Posts

The front office will be virtually intact when Victoria Shamrocks hang their "open for business" shingle for the next Inter-City Lacrosse League season.

All officers, including president Doug Fletcher, were returned to their positions at a special directors' meeting Wednesday.

Also re-elected were vice-president Keith Dorman, treasurer Mason Sheldrick, secretary Hal Jordon and manager Hec McNeili.

And there was nothing to suggest that Dave Unwin, named coach-of-the-year after the past season, won't be back as pilot again next year.

A GOOD GUESS

"Unless Dave has other plans," said Dorman, "it looks like Unwin will be back."

The only changes came on the directorate. Hard-working Roy Wolsey, a key figure in Shamrock fund-raising efforts, resigned because he expects to be away from Victoria next season.

New faces on the directorate will be Chris Randall, a lawyer, and Tommy Thompson, father of Shamrocks' backup netminder.

Bob Redgrave Tops Anglers

Bob Redgrave collected the November trophy in the series of monthly fishing competitions staged by the Victoria-Saanich Inlet Anglers' Association when he topped the month's list with a 22-pound salmon.

Wyn Rusk boated a 17:02 pounder to win the women's award and Dave Johnson paced the junior contestants.

Hidden-weight awards went to Al Bennett, Wesley Winter, Mrs. K. Williams and H. Nelson.

Members of the VSIAA who belong to the Chinook Club will be holding their second "frostbite derby" of the season this Sunday. The Chinooks will chase salmon and prizes from daybreak until 2 p.m. Derby tickets are available at Inlet boathouses.

HOCKEY TRAIL

EASTERN LEAGUE
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RACING RESULTS

BAY MEADOWS

First Race—$2,800, claiming, three-year-olds, six furlongs:

Rapid Sue (Garcia)	$13.20	$6.00	$3.60
Diablo Star (Frey)		4.00	2.80
Han Wong (Freeman)			3.40

Also ran: Solid Run, Three Please, Helectro, Rocket Sis, Slopie, Pookie Lou, Yentome, Reheated, Funny Dance. Time 1:12 3-5.

Second Race—$2,800, claiming, three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:

Steal On (Freeman)	$37.00	$16.40	$8.60
Nat's Son (Knowles)		8.20	4.40
Mihalo (Valenzuela)			3.20

Also ran: Jiminer's Doll, Ido Command, Civic Bride, Royal Team, Tucker Efforts, Lamar Kid, Spurgeon Creek, Loaded for Bear, Nevasco. Time 1:11 3-5.

Daily double paid $263.40.

Third Race—$2,500, claiming, three-year-olds and up, one mile:

Scorny (Volzke)	$12.80	$8.60	$4.80
Jim Keefe (Pierce)		7.60	5.40
Gallant Steel (Sanchez)			4.00

Also ran: Determined Gypsy, Ruahrullah, Listo Librar, Lord Highland, Fisher's Bow. Time 1:38 1-5.

Fourth Race—$4,000, claiming two-year-olds, six furlongs:

Passo Star (Knowles)	$5.60	$3.60	$3.00
King Joaquin (Gonzalez)		4.00	3.20
Mr. Q. D. (Volzke)			4.40

Also ran: Telladream, Kodiak Kid, Drover's Tale, Radio Rocket, All Lucky, Careless Sun. Time 1:11 3-5.

Fifth Race—$4,000, claiming, three-year-olds, one one-sixteenth mile:

Pocket Knife (Pineda)	$8.40	$4.00	$3.60
Little Poon (Pierce)		5.20	3.80
War Treasure (Freeman)			3.80

Also ran: Mr. Please, Hockey Pants, Trojan Blue, Funsville, Pavlon, Abbie Lea, Prompt Host, Bosom Buddy, Wantido North. Time 1:44 4-5.

Sixth Race—$5,500, claiming, three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:

Admiral Diver (Frey)	$11.00	$5.00	$4.00
Barleycorn (Gonzalez)		9.40	5.80
Little Choo Choo (Harris)			6.60

Also ran: Current Account, Devil's Holiday, English Comic, Sugar Host, Rio Coreo, Arrest And Trial, Jerry's Secret, Star Asset. Time 1:10 3-5.

Seventh Race—$6,500, alowance, three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:

He's King Avain (Frey)	$12.20	$5.80	$3.60
Singing Firefly (Cabellero)		12.80	9.40
Short Tale (Maese)			3.00

Also ran: Prince Fid, Performing Art, Rantee Yur Up, Laughin Sir, Twist O Stone, Call Pappa. Time 1:11 3-5.

Eighth Race—$825,000, added, handicapped three-year-olds and up, one one-sixteenth mile:

Rivet (Volzke)	$17.60	$9.40	$3.80
Plimenek (Pineda)		4.40	2.60
Aqua Vite (Pierce)			2.60

Also ran: Acknowledge, Sundelle, Power Of Destiny, No Host. Time 1:42 3-5.

Ninth Race—$3,500, allowance, three-year-olds and up, one one-quarter mile:

A Bold Bay (Valenzuela)	$36.20	$17.00	$11.00
(Valenzuela)		$36.20	$17.60
Speedy Somali (Gonzalez)			10.40
Bell Field (Valenzuela)			5.40

Also ran: Rosarino II, Pegged Man, Flushing K., Victory Nasrullah, Honeys Asset, Robert S., Old Nicolaus, Ronnie Bly, Chalk Mark. Time 2:05 2-5.

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Because of the fact that we will not be open during the early part of January, we are running our January Clearance Sale which started December 11 through until Christmas. Our deals are really good as we want to clear as much merchandise as we can so that we do not have to move it.

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STOCK EXCHANGE BABIES

Pregnancy Not for Poor Noted Scientist Urges

HAMILTON (CP) — A birth control program under which certificates to become pregnant would be sold on the stock exchange was described here by a Nobel Prize winner.

Dr. William Shockley, who shared the 1956 Nobel Prize in physics for his part in developing the transistor, said the system would limit children to people who would want and could afford them.

The professor of engineering science from Stanford University in California, who has recently become a strong advocate of research into hereditary and racial differences in the United States, spoke to 400 professors and students at McMaster University. He is here to deliver a series of three lectures.

Dr. Shockley produced statistics based on draft board tests today and during the First World War, which, he claimed, show the median intelligence of Negroes was, and still is, below the median intelligence of whites.

He said the difference in median intelligence between whites and Negroes increased between the First and Second World Wars.

RACIAL RATES DIFFER

He said unskilled Negroes are reproducing at a much higher rate than unskilled whites, while skilled Negroes are reproducing at a lower rate than skilled whites.

The decrease in intelligence among Negroes may have been reflected in the quality of leadership in recent race riots.

"If such effects are occurring, and if entrenched dogmatism is blocking their discovery, then the consequence can be a form of genetic enslavement that could provoke extremes of racism."

Dr. Shockley said his birth control system would begin with a public vote on the rate of population increase desired. He suggested an increase of one-third per cent a year which would allow the population to double in two centuries.

The census bureau would decide how many children could be permitted each girl and still stay within the population objective.

Public agencies would see to it that every girl was temporarily sterilized by means of a time-capsule-type contraceptive while she was young.

Upon reaching maturity, each girl would be issued with 22 deci-child certificates. A married couple could use 10 of these to pay for capsule removal until a child is born. Then a new contraceptive would be installed.

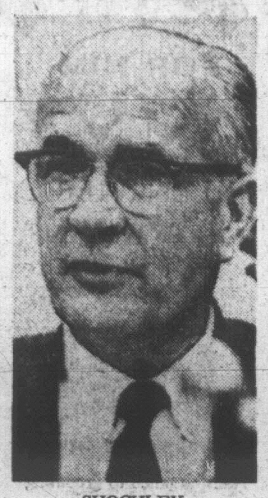
SELL ON EXCHANGE

After two babies, the couple could either sell the remaining two certificates on the stock exchange or buy eight more and have a third pregnancy. A girl intending to become a nun could sell the certificates as soon as she received them.

Dr. Shockley said his system would get around the "thought-blocking cliches of who-decides and what-is-the-perfect-man?".

In a two-hour lecture, he accused "inverted liberals" of blocking research into inherited intelligence differences between whites and Negroes. Such research could help solve slum problems, he said.

Failure to investigate the question and establish the facts could offset the splendid progress of the Negro middle-class, the professor said.



SHOCKLEY
. . . baby stock deal

He suggested that attempts to provide better schools and welfare programs for ghetto Negroes will only lead to frustration if their intelligence and capabilities are low.

ALSO TO WHITES

Dr. Shockley said many of his statements are applicable to whites of low intelligence, but the problem is relatively more dangerous and devastating among Negroes.

He said he emphasizes the Negro problem in his talks and writings because he wishes to overcome the violent reaction his theories produce, because there are serious Negro problems in the U.S. and because statistical data he has found supports his theories.

Dr. Shockley praised the system of eugenics—the use of controls to improve the quality of offspring—now practised in Denmark, and predicted the U.S. will adopt a similar program within a generation.

"The Danes say many children who might have grown up in misery are not born now because of sterilization."

Unlawful Shooting Brings $15 Fines

Dan Carrier, 4143 Rosedale, and Neil Netterfield 1455 Craigflower, were fined $15 each in central court Wednesday for discharging firearms in a restricted area.

The youths told the court the area was put on the restricted list when they were out of town. They said they had the permission of the owner to shoot there.

Bus Drivers Honored

A total of 76 bus drivers were honored this week when Vancouver Island Coach Lines made its annual presentations for safe driving.

For the second consecutive year top awards went to John Grant of Victoria with a 29-year safe driving record, and Leland Cooper of Nanaimo with 28.

Others honored were C. M. Allison, Victoria, 27 years; E. B. Churchill, Nanaimo, 26 years; S. J. Petch, Victoria, 24 years, and R. H. Clark, Nanaimo, 21 years.

Other awards for drivers with good records for one to 19 years went to:

Victoria: G. Mowat, R. T. Osmars, A. Patterson, J. Simpson, G. D. Conrod, F. A. Marchant, W. O. McArthur, A. R. Collier, R. D. Hucklin, J. C. Bamford, C. Stephenson, G. P. Merriman, J. Goldsmith, K. V. Robert, W. G. Herd, T. A. Staples, J. S. Skinner, A. J. Collier, L. F. Atkinson, S. Grocott, A. J. Coderre, R. McNeill, D. N. Scott, D. F. Uldich, R. V. Clark, J. S. Cleator, R. N. Davis, A. Donovan, J. M. Nickels, A. B. Ayling, R. J. Mathews, L. H. Dunhill, R. Wilkinson, R. Fairless, A. K. Kadatz, H. Schwemler, R. W. Stark, D. G. Foster, H. Gough, R. W. Spaven and R. A. Pickard.

Nanaimo: I. MacDougall, D. H. Reeves, T. A. Robertson, V. W. Garside, R. A. Fitzhenry, H. W. McLellan, L. Swithin, R. L. Morgan, E. S. Preston, L. W. Depiford, L. R. Lyon, J. Brown, W. R. Mottershead.

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GOLF COURSE SALE VETOED IN VANCOUVER

VANCOUVER (CP)—Ratepayers Wednesday rejected the $3,000,000 bylaw to buy the remaining 66 acres of Langara golf course for a park.

Homeowners voted 50.8 per cent in favor of the bylaw but it needed a 60 per cent majority to pass. The final vote with all 101 polls reported was 12,239 yes and 11,845 no.

The turnout was only 19.8 per cent.

Chairman George Puil of the park board said the rejection was a disappointment and he will take steps immediately to resubmit the bylaw.

The city earlier this year bought 95 acres of Langara for $3,000,000 for a park and city college site. The college will take 20 acres.

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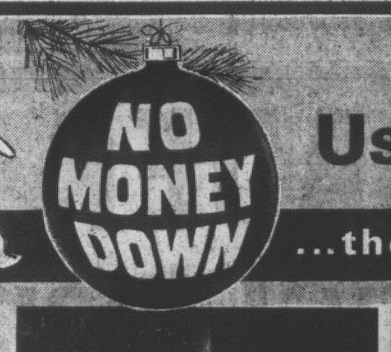

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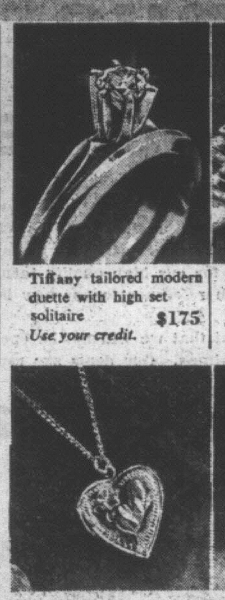

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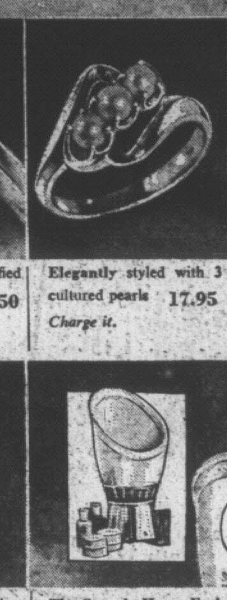

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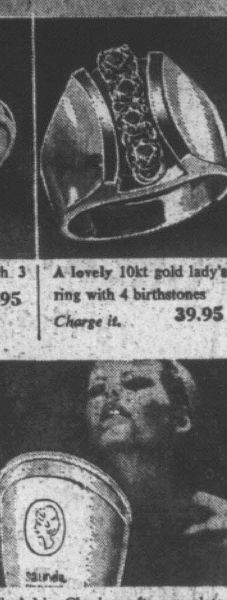

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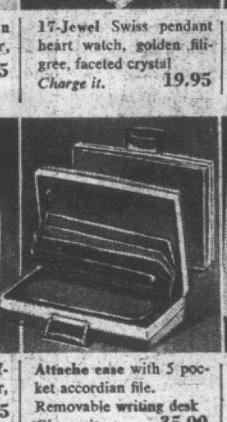

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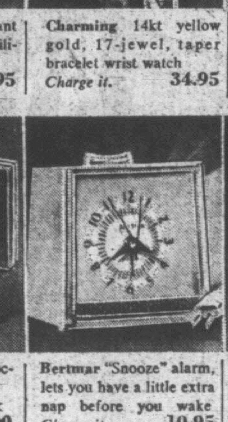

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BIG AMPHITHEATRE

MONTREAL (CP)—A 6,000-seat amphitheatre for cultural, social and sports events will be built in suburban Ville d'Anjou beginning in February at an estimated cost of $4,200,000, it was announced Tuesday.

The complex centre, which will also include an indoor shopping promenade with parking for 1,000 cars, is expected to be one of the biggest amphitheatres of its kind in North America.

HOME GARDEN

Cabbage Needs Work After Frost, Rain

By HILDA BEASTALL

The winds and heavy rains of last week will have affected some of the vegetable plants we depend on for winter eating.

Hilda

Things like caabbages and all the relatives — kale, Brussels sprouts, broccoli and wallflowers — are likely to have become loosened, and the soil from around the stems washed away to sea.

These conditions followed by frosts in most sections for the last three nights, will certainly not have improved chances of great success with these desirable vegetables and flowers.

But all is not lost, if we go out before another day passes and get to work on the cabbage patch and border.

First, take a pail full of the compost mixture we advised in fall to be put under cover from rain.

Have it fairly dry and fine. Screen it through a quarter-inch mesh if necessary and add a little sand. A handful of this mixture around the stem of a loosened plant will help to fill the cavity without damaging roots. Firm it well with the fist all round each stem.

YANK LEAVES

Another attention to improve the cabbage patch is to remove yellow leaves.

I have seen gardeners pull the lower leaves when still green from Brussels sprout plants, having just a tuft remaining at the top of the stem.

This has not been proved of any benefit to the formation of sprouts, but the removal of leaves as they become yellow does prevent them rotting on the stem and starting fungus troubles.

So we gather all the yellowed leaves and put them into the compost heap beneath other material so that frost does not cause them to toss an unpleasnt "rotten cabbage" odor into the clean winter air.

Sewer Survey To Go Ahead In View Royal

View Royal will go ahead with a sewer cost survey for the whole of theunorganized district.

Officers of the Ratepayers' Association Wednesday approved the study after conferring with Dr. J. L. M. Whitbread, senior medical officer for the Greater Victoria area.

The sewer survey will determine the cost per taxpayer for installing laterals and for hooking up to trunk lines.

Costs for installing the trunk lines will be borne by the Capital Region Board.

Some residents in the panhandle district are opposed to the survey, claiming it is just a red herring to divert residents from the advantages of joining Esquimalt.

Kenneth Richmond, 666 Treebank Road, one of the residents who has petitioned Esquimalt for amalgamation, feels the survey should be postponed until ratepayers have decided the issue of union.

"If the panhandle is annexed by Esquimalt it would save ratepyers the expense of a survey of this area," he said.

One-Day Housing Debate Set for Commons Dec. 22

OTTAWA (CP) — Acting Speaker Herman Batten Wednesday rejected a New Democratic Party motion for an emergency Commons debate on housing.

But Prime Minister Pearson offered a one-day debate on the issue Dec. 22, an offer accepted quickly by the Conservatives and NDP. The Commons had been scheduled to adjourn for Christmas Dec. 21.

Reid Scott (NDP—Toronto Danforth) introduced the motion calling for an emergency debate on "the continuing and growing housing crisis."

He said this week's federal-provincial conference on housing "failed" primarily because of the lack of any new or effective initiatives by the federal government.

"It (the conference) didn't adjourn — it died," Scott said. Health Minister Allan MacEachen, government House leader, accused Scott of making "gratuitous political comments." He said housing could be discussed during the current budget debate.

NDP leader T. C. Douglas said that "failure" of the conference made Commons debate urgent.

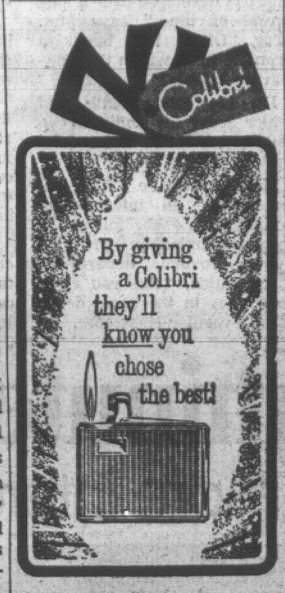
Creditiste leader Real Caouette said the conference was a fiasco and said the government is afraid to debate the issue.

Michael Starr, Conservative floor leader, suggested that Pearson make a statement on which each of the opposition parties could comment.

Pearson said housing is a serious problem which will "be with us for a long time."

Stationery Fraud

MONTREAL (CP)—Police are investigating a million-dollar stationery supplies racket they believe to be based in Montreal and which has been bilking firms throughout Canada and the United States. Police said Wednesday the racket operates through telephone calls in which firms are asked by a "doctor" or widow" whether they would like to buy stationery supplies inherited "from a dead relative."



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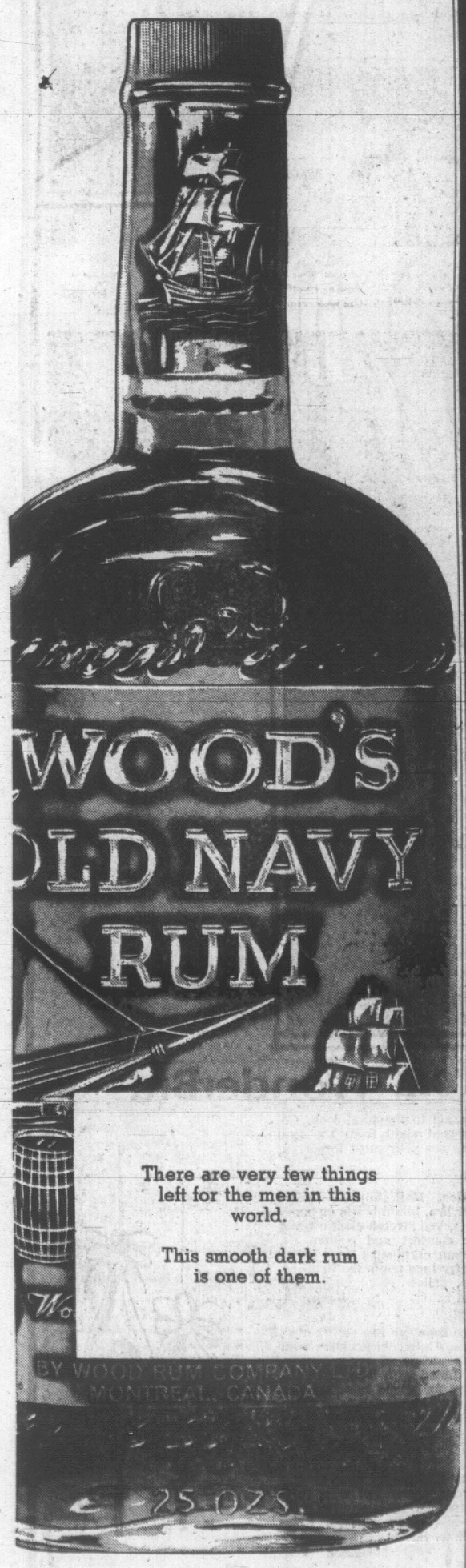

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EDUCATION FOR SLOW LEARNERS

By KATHRINE THOMAS

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It's a difficult thing to make the transition from symbol to meaning—the leap that is reading.

Some children have more trouble than others.

For them, and for children with other problems, the Greater Victoria School Board maintains 15 "slow-learner" classes strategically placed throughout the area.

Perhaps a child automatically reverses numbers and letters.

He can't see the difference between 42 and 24 because his mind has not yet developed right or left dominance.

He needs more individual attention than he can get in a regular classroom.

Slow-learner classes are ideally limited to 10 students but the demand is so great that there are usually at least 15 in a class.

Small Groups

With such small groups a child with visual perception problems can be helped with special aids—a counting block may be used to teach him arithmetic in place of the symbol he does not understand.

Exercises in balancing and physical activity can help to develop the dominance and coordination he lacks.

The slow-learner classes are ungraded, but divided into primary, intermediate and senior groups within an elementary school.

The child develops at his own speed and is under no pressure to keep up with students as in a regular class.

"We try a different approach to learning to suit each child," says Mrs. Edna Berg, teacher of a primary class. "We're actually practising the individualized, ungraded teaching they're now trying to introduce into regular classrooms."

Mrs. Berg finds it hard work. "You need to do a great deal of preparation—sometimes you're preparing an individual lesson for each child.

Gets Praise

"I want to know what a child does himself—not see work he has copied in order to get praise. I don't care if he makes mistakes as long as he is trying. Then we can understand and correct them together."

Mrs. Berg feels that the most important aim of the teacher of a slow-learner class should be to build up her student's self-image.

"Everyone wants to be accepted for himself. The children have to have some self-confidence before they can hope to achieve anything.

"People must realize that the fact a child is put into a slow-learner class is no disgrace. They are here so we can help them."

Takes Time

Some children are returned to their regular classrooms—usually the ones who were able to progress as soon as pressures or emotional difficulties were removed.

"But we can't cure in one year results from a situation that has developed over a long period of time," says Mrs. Berg. "Often it is better to promote them within the slow-learner classes."

By the intermediate and senior level the children can usually read and write quite well.

Mrs. Connie Thornton, teacher of an intermediate group, says she follows a special curriculum provided by the provincial department of education. "But you can't do studies in the same depth as in a regular classroom.

"Lessons aren't as deep or as detailed. We concentrate more on good citizenship — learning how to get along with people."

By the time the children have finished the senior level they may range in achievements in basic subjects from Grade 3 to Grade 7. From there, if they do not re-enter a regular class, they go to a junior high school where courses are usually designed to teach them practical skills in an occupational program.

Present school board plans call for the progression of these children into a specially designed occupational course located at one centre.

CARELESS DRIVERS

Fined in central court Wednesday for careless driving were:

Larry Ball, 639 Constance, speeding with his lights off Nov. 19, $35; Dale Kuster, 521 Walter, in accident at Craigflower and Aral Road, Nov. 16, $50; Leslie Marlow, 3740 Carey, rolled into a ditch on the Sooke Road Nov. 4, $50; Stuart Small, 742 Lampton, accident near 140 Mile House on the Caribou Highway Sept. 30, $40; George Mitchell, 855 Latoria, Burnett and the Trans-Canada Highway accident Nov. 9, $40.

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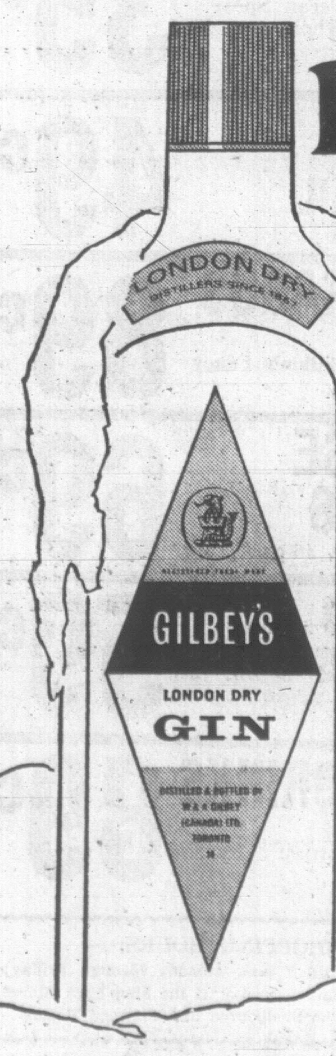

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WORKER DISCONTENT

New Pressures Noted in Spain

By CY FOX
Canadian Press Staff Writer

Student riots following outbursts of worker discontent indicate continuing pressures against the government of Francisco Franco, but Spain's durable strongman is expert at dealing with such eruptions.

Despite last month's devaluation of the Spanish peseta and an austerity crackdown ordered soon afterwards, there is plain evidence that the country has made big material advances since Gen. Franco fought his way to supreme control in the devastating civil war of 1936-39.

A tourist boom, which should be further spurred by devaluation, is helping Spain's economic development.

There is much official talk of major schemes aimed at lessening the plight of backward farming areas.

Widespread industrial growth followed a 1959 relaxation of government controls on the economy and the encouragement given foreign capital.

FRANCO
. . . durable strongman

CAUSED HIGH PRICES

Yet a growing economy generated high domestic prices. Critics say the Spanish worker's living standard still lags behind that of the rest of Europe.

Citing the swollen prices and restrictions on trade union rights, labor militants this fall demonstrated their discontent in Madrid and elsewhere.

Franco's 75th birthday Dec. 4 sparked demonstrations by University of Madrid students.

There seems to be solidarity between the still-dissatisfied students and the union protesters.

Franco, stern but shrewdly flexible within his conservative patter of policies, easily rode out pressure from labor and other critics earlier in the 1960s.

BADLY ORGANIZED

Opposition to him, though vocal and occasionally violent, appears ill-organized and fragmented.

Causing some Spanish frustration is the country's continued exclusion from the European Common Market. The austerity program aims at curbing inflation through, among other things, slashes in government expenditure and a wage freeze.

These economic irritants plus such political developments as Franco's selection of a reputed ultra-conservative as his immediate successor in case of personal incapacity could bring further outcries in a nation which knows and dreads the cost of civil strife.

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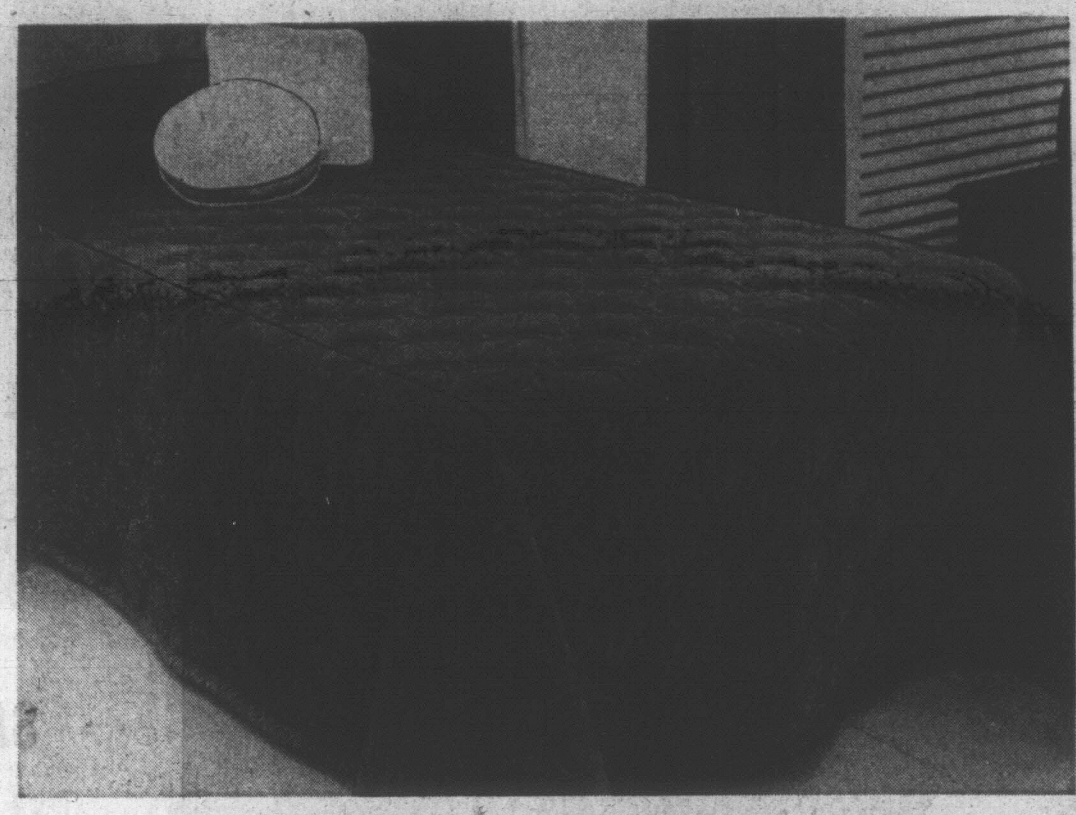

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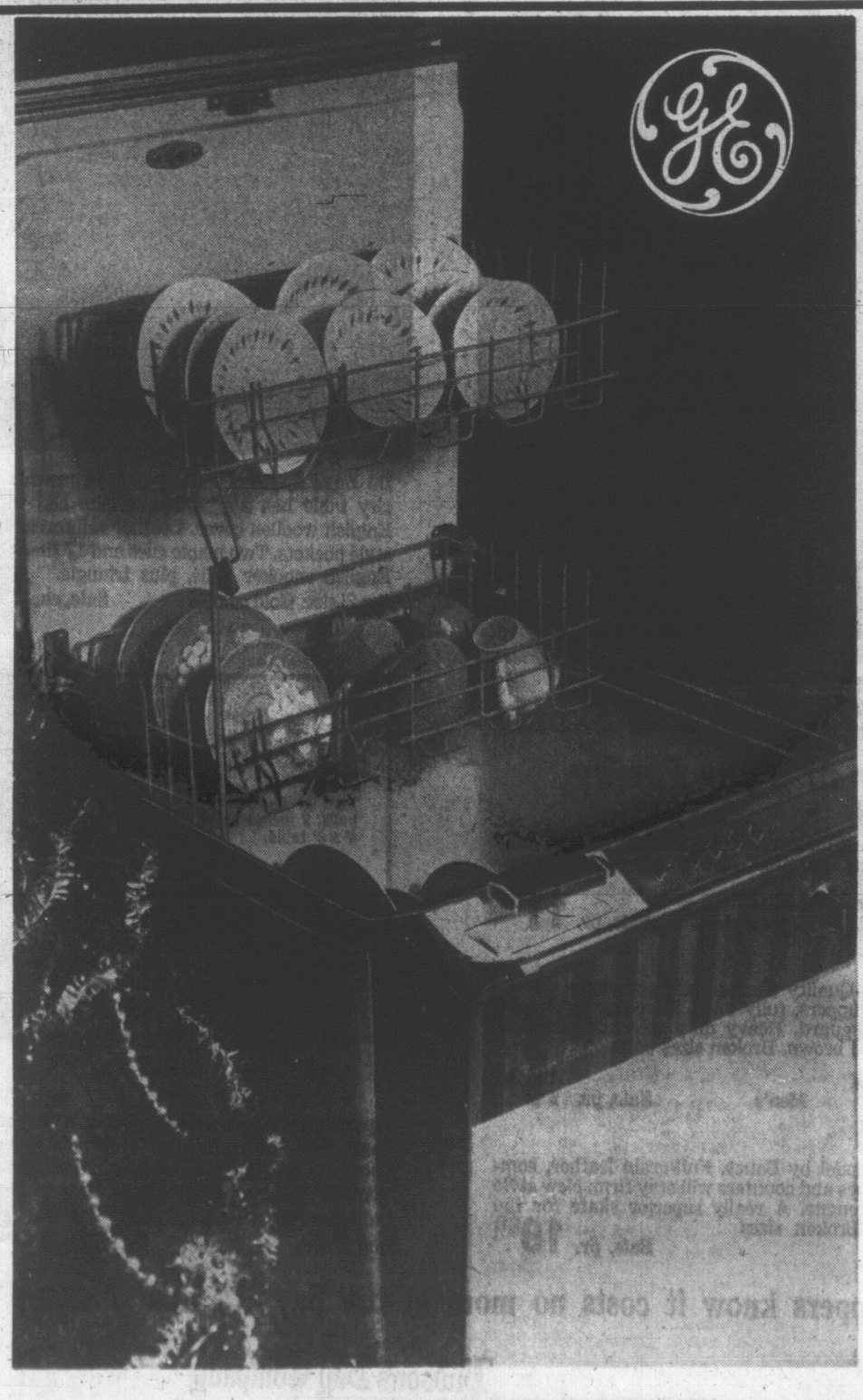

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'Unnatural Barriers Must End'

By HAROLD MORRISON

BRUSSELS (CP) — Foreign ministers of the North Atlantic Alliance agreed today to intensify their East-West disarmament studies, search for more ways of overcoming the division of Germany and pursue attempts to gain a stable peace in negotiations with the Soviet Union.

In a set of principles adopted by all 15 member countries, the NATO Council said in its closing session that Communist expansion has been stopped in Europe and "the political tasks of the alliance have assumed a new dimension."

The council agreed military strength and political solidarity must be maintained to deter aggression and to provide assurance of a climate of stability, security and confidence.

But now the emphasis would be on seeking solutions to problems that lie at the heart of Europe's tensions—settlement of the German issue and mutual reduction of East-West forces.

"The way to peace and stability in Europe rests in particular on the use of the alliance constructively in the interest of detente," the ministers said in their statement of principles adopted after a year-long study of the alliance's political needs by Belgian Foreign Minister Pierre Harmel.

HOPES DASHED

Harmel originally had hopes that the 15 countries would agree to commit themselves to prior consultations and co-ordination of policies before they pursue individual courtship of the Soviet Union and Warsaw pact countries.

But as the set of principles noted, "as sovereign states, the allies are not obliged to subordinate their policies to collective decision."

Nevertheless the members, including France, agreed the practice "of frank and timely consultations needs to be deepened and improved."

"Each ally should play its full part in promoting an improvement in relations with the Soviet Union and the countries of Eastern Europe, bearing in mind that the pursuit of detente must not be allowed to split the alliance. . . ."

MUST OPEN BARRIERS

They agreed no peaceful order in Europe is possible without a major effort by all concerned. There would be no final settlement without solving the German question and ending the "unnatural barriers" between Eastern and Western Europe "which are clearly and cruelly manifested in the division of Germany."

"Accordingly, the allies are resolved to direct their energies to this purpose by realistic measures designed to further a detente in East-West relations."

The ultimate job was to secure a lasting peace in Europe and "the allies will examine and review suitable policies designed to achieve a just and stable order in Europe, to overcome the division of Germany and to foster European security."

Meanwhile, the ministers agreed that the North Atlantic Treaty area cannot be treated in isolation. Crises and conflicts arising outside the area may impair its security. Again, the document did not commit any member to pre-consultations on actions outside the treaty area but suggested that those members who wish to do so, will continue to consult on these outside problems, without commitment.

DEFEND FLANKS

The allies also will pay attention to the defence problems of the "exposed" areas, for example on the southeastern flank. They noted that the current problem in the Mediterranean presents special problems, "bearing in mind that the current crisis in the Middle East falls within the responsibilities of the United Nations."

Orientation of the alliance toward the dynamics of peace had been urged by External Affairs Minister Paul Martin of Canada.

The upshot of the two-day council session seemed to suggest the main exercise was to encourage France to remain as a political member, even though France refuses to participate in the co-ordinated military system.

Romanian President In Moscow for Talks

MOSCOW (AP) — Romanian President Nicolae Ceausescu arrived in Moscow today for talks with Soviet leaders.

A Romanian statement said it was a "friendship" visit.

The Romanians were leaders of the movement among East European Communist countries to show independence of Moscow, and Ceausescu last week rejected the Soviet principle of collective leadership by becoming president as well as head of Romania's Communist party.

Fire Empties Theatre

VANCOUVER (CP) — Fire forced evacuation of 200 persons from the Lyric Theatre in downtown Vancouver Wednesday night. Crews from 10 fire trucks fought the blaze, which was contained in the boiler room of the 70-year-old building.

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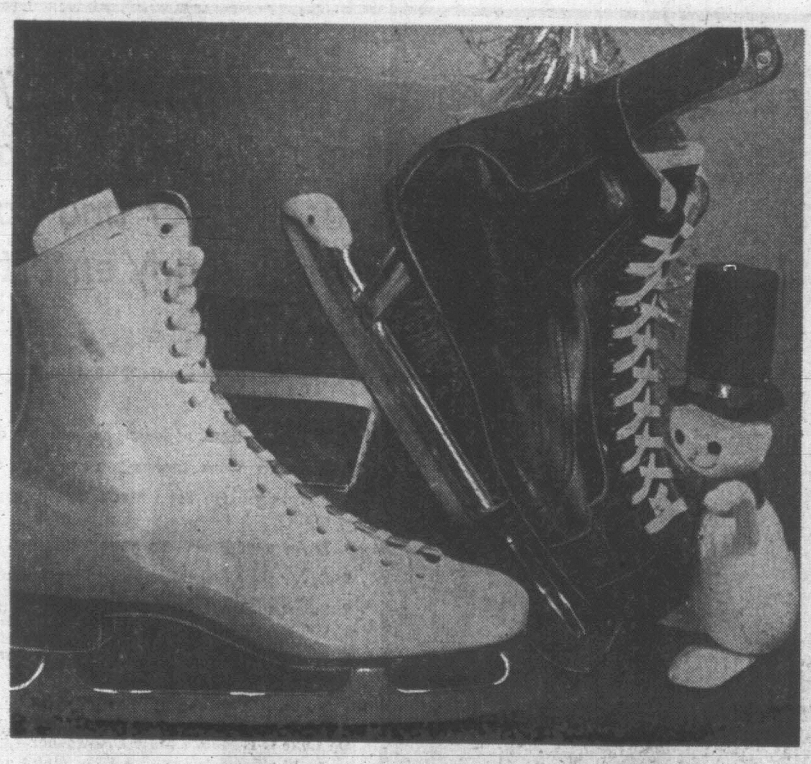

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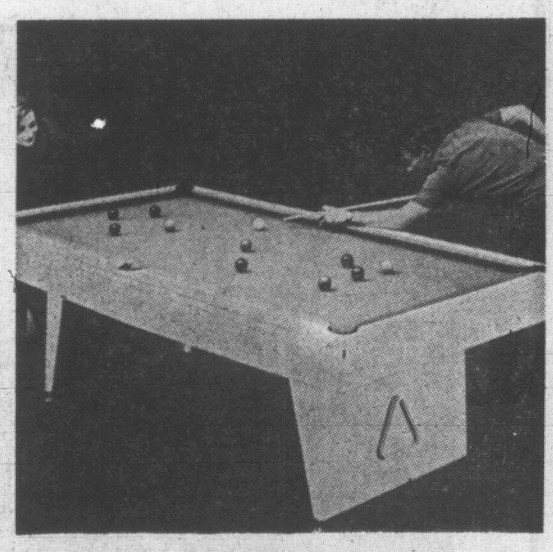

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New NDP Plea For Increased CS Pensions

OTTAWA (CP) — The Commons debate on Finance Minister Sharp's mini-budget ended Wednesday with a renewed NDP plea for an increase in the fixed pensions of retired civil servants.

Stanley Knowles (NDP—Winnipeg North Centre) said the government will never convince the superannuated that money is unavailable for an increase because of over-all economy cuts.

RAISE INTEREST

He said the government is paying a cheap four-per-cent interest rate for use of pension fund money to which the retired civil servants contributed. An increase to five per cent would permit a pension increase averaging between $60 and $65 a month.

It would put another $25,000,000-$30,000,000 into the pension fund, enough to cover the raise.

"That is all the government needs to do," he said. The increase would average about one-third for each pensioner. It would cover not only the 36,000 retired civil servants, but their pensioned widows, and retired armed forces and RCMP personnel or their widows.

COST OF LIVING

He said the government should take the lead in establishing the principle that pensions of retired people should rise in line with cost of living.

Nobody expects working people to live on fixed incomes which rise steadily, he said. Retirement pensions should likewise rise, not only for civil servants but for all pensioned people.

Knowles claimed that several economy cuts made by the government were things it wanted to eliminate anyway for other reasons. The pension question was one of them. Retired civil servants had been misled by government stalling.

The NDP member also claimed the just-completed federal-provincial housing conference was a "colossal failure." It was cut short because many provincial premiers got up and left.

Labor Minister Nicholson said the early windup was due to overtime sittings, not premature departures.

DENIS LAWYER:

'Shouldn't Convict Dog On Evidence'

OTTAWA (CP) — "No one, not even a dog, should be convicted on such testimony."

With these words, defence counsel Louis Assaly called Wednesday for the acquittal of Raymond Denis on a charge of attempting to obstruct justice by offering a $20,000 bribe in the case of narcotics smuggler Lucien Rivard.

Mr. Assaly argued that Denis, former executive assistant to the former federal immigration minister, Rene Tremblay, was the victim of tainted, unreasonable, inadequate and unbelievable testimony by Pierre Lamontagne.

CROWN REPLY

Crown Attorney John Cassells said in reply that Denis' testimony was evasive, uncertain, contradictory and capable of being regarded by the 12-man jury as "lies."

Mr. Lamontagne had tried to be truthful, frank and forthright in his evidence that Denis offered him the $20,000 to agree to the release on bail of Rivard.

The addresses by Crown and defence marked the approaching conclusion of Denis' trial. It started Nov. 13.

Judge Bruce Macdonald of Windsor sent the jurors home until Friday when, he said, he will review the evidence and deliver his charge before sending them out to consider a verdict. He warned them to keep an open mind and avoid reading press reports of the case.

For three hours and 45 minutes Mr. Assaly analyzed the evidence, making particularly scathing remarks about Mr. Lamontagne's allegation that Denis offered him the money July 14, 1964.

At that time, Mr. Lamontagne was lawyer for the United States government which was seeking the extradition from Canada of Rivard for trial in Texas. Rivard, 52, now is serving a 20-year prison term in Atlanta, Ga.

Man, Woman Shot to Death

ST. BONIFACE, Man. (CP)—A young man and woman were shot and killed in a three-storey St. Boniface triplex Wednesday night.

City police found the bodies of the 27-year-old man and the 22-year-old woman on the kitchen floor at 1034 Brussels Ave. shortly after 10 p.m. They had been struck by several rifle bullets.

The victims were identified as Lawrence Wasylenko and Angelia Barker. Police Chief William Russel said a 34-year-old man is in custody on a coroner's warrant.

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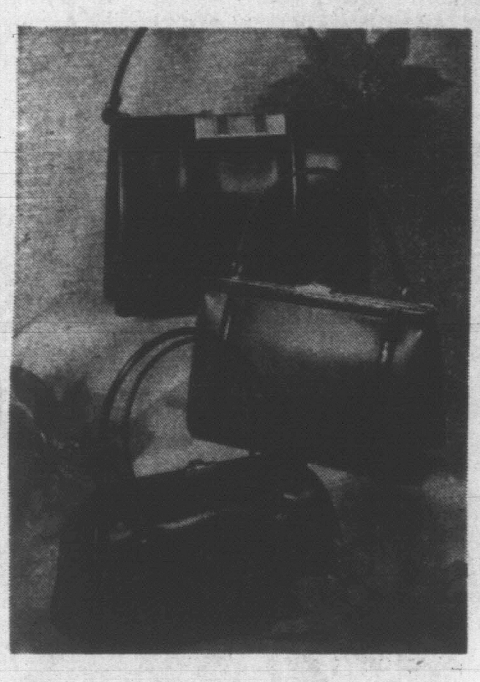

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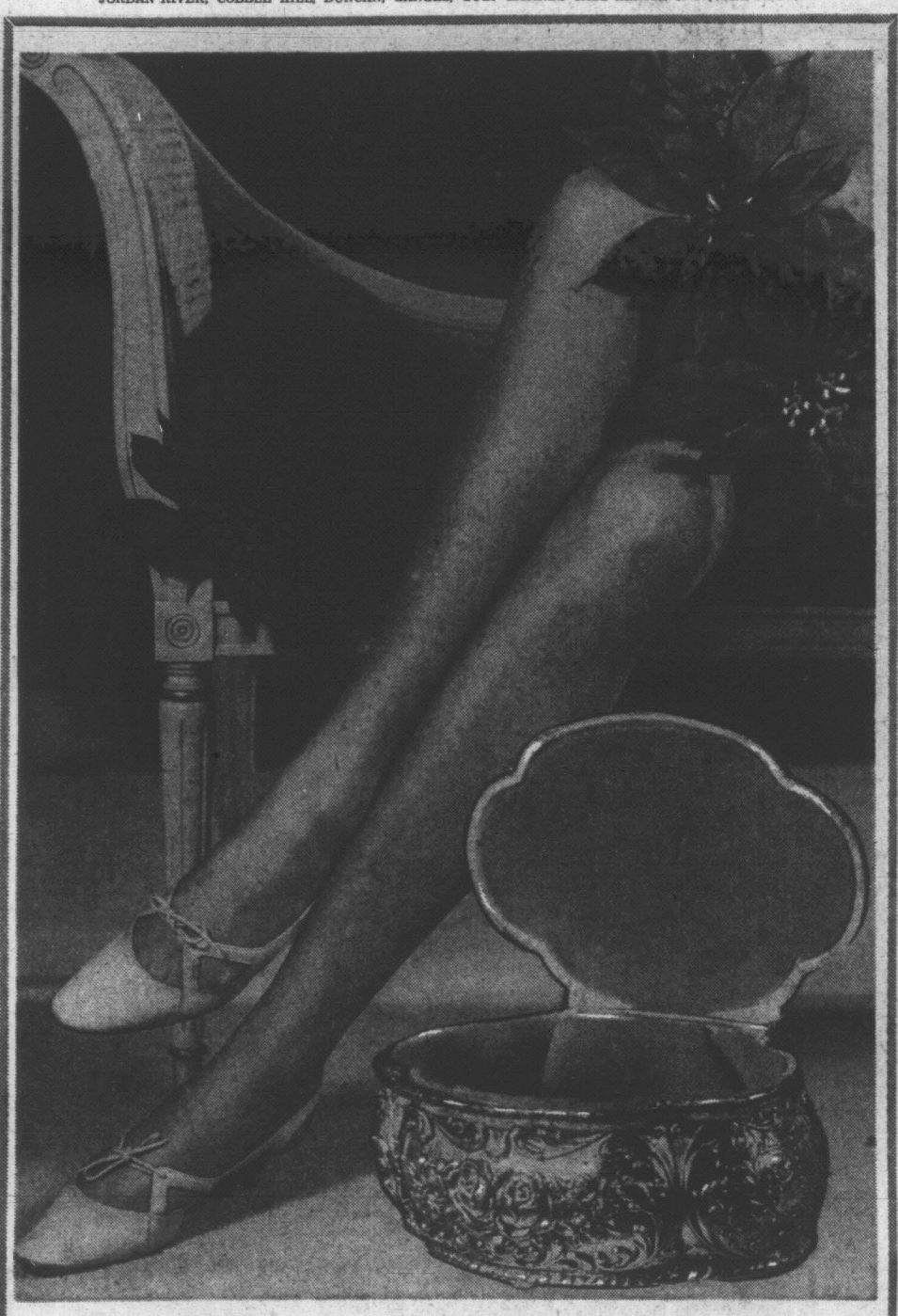

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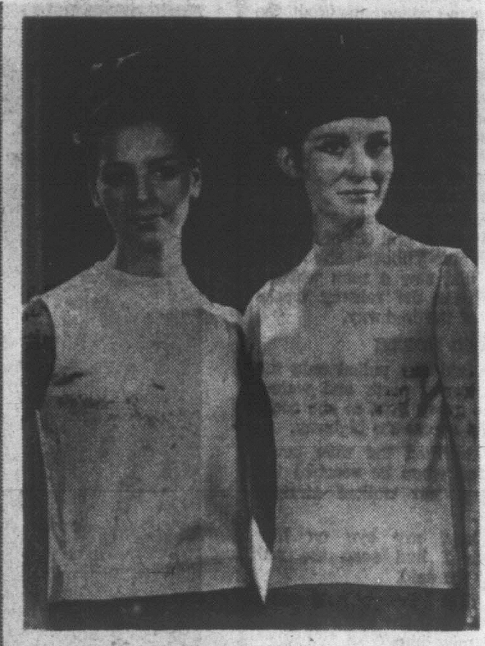

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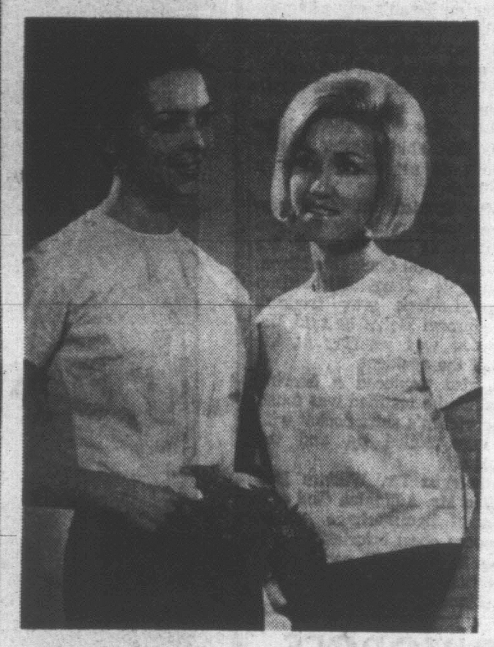

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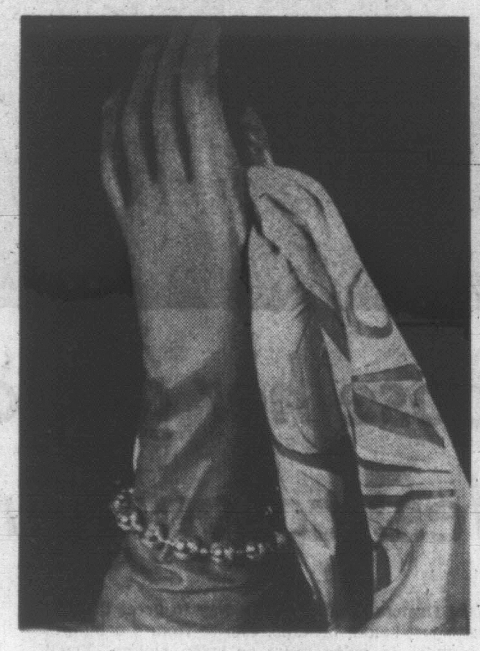

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Light Red, Coroner's Jury Told

A pedestrian who died after being struck by a car Sunday night was crossing the Trans-Canada Highway against a red light, a witness told a coroner's jury Wednesday.

Eighty-one-year-old Joseph Adlington, 581 Dumeresq, died in hospital one hour and five minutes after he was hit at the intersection of Tillicum Road and the Trans-Canada Highway at 7:45 p.m. Sunday.

Saanich police testified the car involved was driven by Roy Twan, 20, of 1644 Northfield in Nanaimo.

Mrs. Sally Crossley, 175 Helmcken, said she witnessed the accident. She testified she had been stopped in the gas station at the southwest corner of the intersection.

Mrs. Crossley said when she was about to pull out of the gas station onto Tillicum, she looked north and saw a man walking south near the railway tracks north of the highway.

TURNED NORTH

She said she pulled onto the road, turned north and waited for the green light so she could proceed across the highway.

She testified the man never hesitated when he reached the highway, but walked straight across.

"I kept my eye on him because I had seen the red light," she said.

"At first I thought he'd make it across and the eastbound car would miss him."

She said she heard a loud noise. "The man disappeared for a minute, and then I saw the body flying through the air."

Police told the inquest the east-west traffic lights on the highway stay green indefinitely unless a car on Tillicum trips an automatic traffic control or a pedestrian pushes the walk button.

Saanich Detective Herbert Clark and Constable William Nixon both said they tested the brakes on Twan's car after the accident and found the pedal went almost to the floor on the first application, but had normal pressure on the second application.

Both officers testified, however, that skid marks at the scene were not consistent with poor brakes.

"My opinion is that the brakes were probably in good condition at the time of the accident," said Constable Nixon.

Constable Dave Richardson produced dark grey trousers and a brown jacket he said Mr. Adlington was wearing at the time of the accident.

He also produced a hearing aid which he testified was found in the victim's shirt pocket with the wire coiled up and the switch off.

Pathologist Dr. William Hay testified Mr. Adlington died as a result of hemmorhage caused by severe chest injuries.

The inquest will continue in the Saanich court room at 7:30 p.m. Monday.

DIVORCES

Divorces were granted in Victoria Law Courts this week to:

Cyril L. Le Blanc, 721 Government Street, Victoria, from Kathrine R. Le Blanc, Calgary. They were married at Calgary in 1961.

Frances M. Molesworth, 912 Heywood Avenue, Victoria, from Alexander L. Molesworth, 231 George Street, Prince George. They were married at Victoria in 1943.

Patricia A. Guest, 2977 Sea View Road, Victoria, from Delmar K. Guest, 3908 Scolton Road, Victoria. They were married at Victoria in 1957.

Sharon R. Weeks, 970 Madison Street, Victoria, from George L. Weeks, Duncan. They were married at Victoria in 1957.

Helen P. St. Arnault, 224 Robertson Street, Victoria, from Hubert J. St. Arnault, Vancouver. They were married at Doncaster, Yorkshire, England, in 1943.

Annelore Henkel, 3016 Albina Street, Victoria, from Otto Kenkel, 519 Seventh Street, Port Alberni. They were married at Victoria in 1952.

Robert K. Gilmour, 6937 Sooke Road, Victoria, from Ellen J. Gilmour, Chase River, B.C. They were married at Victoria in 1965.

B.C. Pavilion Design Sought For Expo 70

Deadline for submission of design proposals for B.C.'s pavilion at Expo 70 in Osaka is Feb. 1, Trade and Industry Minister Ralph Loffmark said Wednesday.

A contract for construction will be awarded for the selected design. Mr. Loffmark said guidelines for the B.C. exhibit —which will encompass private industry as well as government displays—will be announced in a few days.

They will be drawn up by a newly established committee which includes Mines Minister Donald Brothers, Resources Minister Ray Williston, deputy provincial secretary L. J. Wallace and trade and industry department officer Don Mollison. Mr. Loffmark is the chairman.

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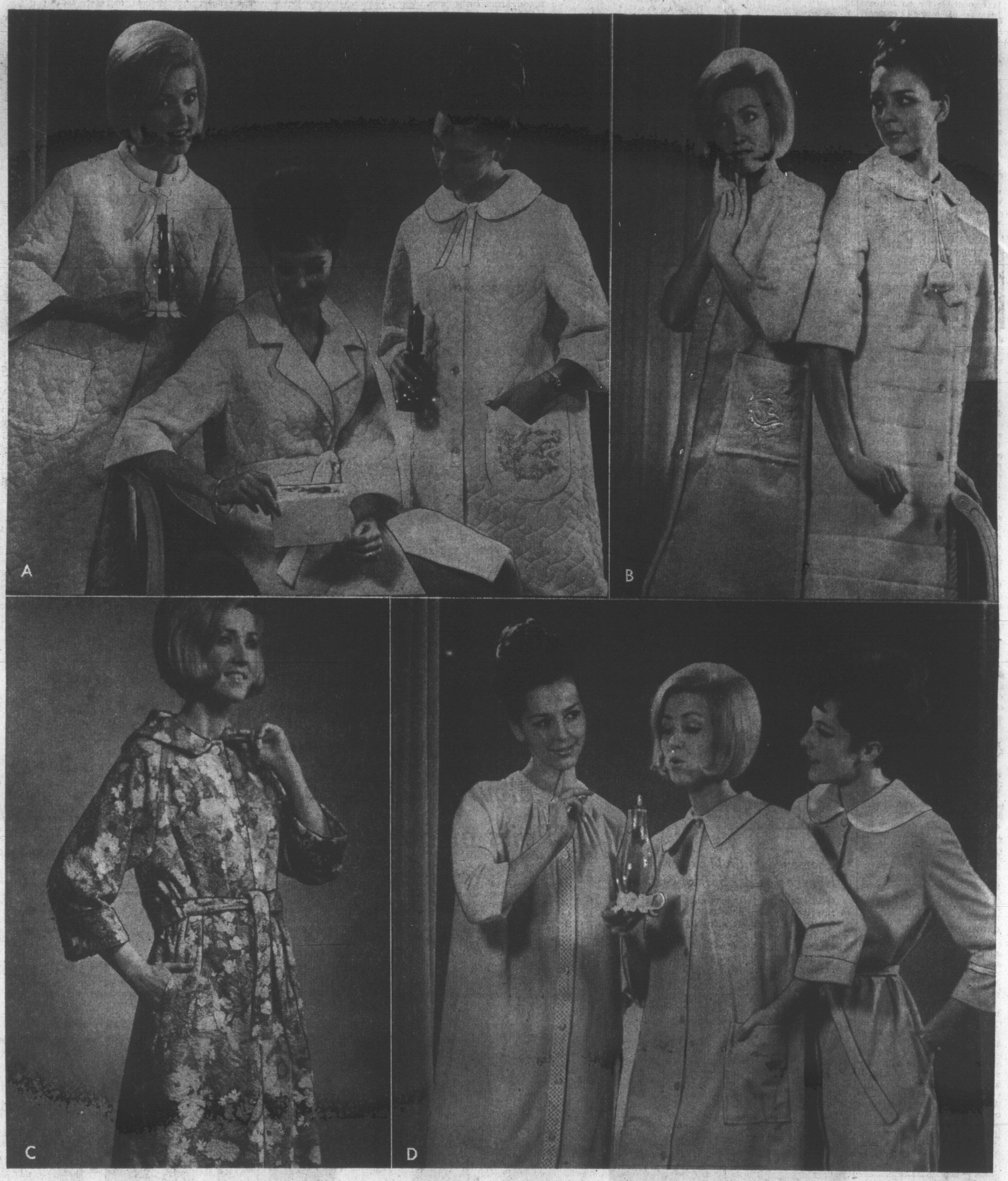

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Arthur Mayse

The ideal adoption, I suppose, is the one in which a little pink baby is delivered straight from hospital to the eager couple. This, however, is a less than ideal world, and our son Ron was two years and five months old before he came to enrich our lives.

Unless you have been on the firing-line yourself, you can have no idea of the extent to which a child is moulded in those crucial beginning years.

Here a warning to those who contemplate adopting a child who has left babyhood behind.

Unless you are willing to commit yourselves utterly—

unless you can bring love, patience and stamina to the never-easy job of being parents—leave the challenge of adoption to those who can meet it. But let me also assure you that there's no undertaking on earth more rewarding.

In the give and take of family life, mistakes are going to be made. The parent by-adoption needn't be afraid of making them; but here is one pitfall to be avoided at all costs.

For his sake and yours, let the child know he is adopted. Do this casually and with proper pride, as soon as he's old enough to understand. Sidestep this necessity, and you guarantee him and yourself future hurt.

Someone, somewhere, is sure to confront him with the fact. His reaction then will be this:

"My people lied to me. They're ashamed of me."

I know men and women who still remember the shock of such discoveries with bitterness.

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Last night I asked Ron what we, as adoptive parents, should have done differently.

He was busy as always—find me the teacher who isn't—but he turned from the door, and came over and sat down with us.

He gave us a slow, indulgent grin.

"As parents," he corrected me, "what would you have done differently?"

Then, a man looking back, he talked about adoption as he has lived it.

"Being adopted didn't cause me any grief at school. I never made a secret of it. I was proud of being chosen.

"My only regret is that I don't know what my history was before you two became my parents. It's like losing a piece of your life." He considered a moment, then said, 'Yes, I'd like to learn, and I'd hold no grudges. Why should I, the way things have worked out for me?".

Ron looked at his watch, and got up.

"Hey, he said, no longer serious, "warn 'em to be prepared for the good old line, 'Why did you adopt me ... just to be a slave?' "

We laughed, and Ron gave us the big grin. He delivered a peck to his mother's cheek, tapped me on top of my head where life's wear and tear has caused a slight thinning, then took himself off to his car.

As I noted earlier, adoption has its rich rewards.

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The process by which a child in need of a mother and father finds them is loudly and frequently criticized on the grounds that it moves too slowly.

It could be shortened somewhat if more funds, which would mean larger staffs, were available to the agencies concerned.

These in turn point out that would-be parents are frequently responsible for the delays about which they complain. After all, if you insist on a dear little baby girl of the precisely "right" racial stock, you must expect to wait for the required combination.

But my purpose here is not to criticize. What I very much hope to do is convince any childless couples who read this that by adopting they will not step into some strange, frightening country where all the rules of parenthood are different.

For any who are capable of loving, and eager for the responsibilities, worries and joys adoption has brought Win and me, I have this message:

Come on in ... The water's fine!

IT'S TOUGH SWIMMING for ducks in Beacon Hill's Goodacre Lake when temperature dips below freezing. But at least the crusts cast by well-wishers don't get soggy. Weather records show a grass-level 24 degrees overnight. In Tillicum area it was 22 at ear level. Friday there will be some clouding and southeast breezes to make the air milder. No snow is predicted.

MOLLY JUSTICE CASE

Court to Order Perjury Trial

Frank Hulbert, 41, of Port Alberni is to be committed for trial Monday on a charge of perjury.

Hulbert is charged in connection with the 1943 murder trial of William Mitchell. Mitchell was charged with slaying 15-year-old Molly Justice in January, 1943, but he was acquitted.

A juvenile testified at the 1943 trial Mitchell had told him he had killed the girl. Wednesday, former prosecutor Claude Harrison testified "I would say he (Hulbert) is the same young man who gave evidence" in 1943.

The hearing concluded today after testimony from Saanich detective Ronald Coulter regarding the arrest of Hulbert on the perjury charge October 27.

Magistrate Ostler indicated his intention to commit Hulbert for trial, and defence counsel Jack Gatehouse requested the committal be delayed to Monday.

The Magistrate agreed, Hulbert has selected trial by judge and jury.

Dancer to Perform For Silver Threads

MARILYN SOMMERS
... home for visit

A Victoria girl who danced in the city's centennial pageant in August, 1962, and then married its director, is returning here next week.

Marilyn Sommers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sommers, 2400 Cedar Hill Cross Road, was starrred in the big show at Royal Athletic Park marking Victoria's 100th birthday as a city.

Three months later she married Dudley Remus, a professional pageant director, who was hired from the United States as director and script-writer of the centennial spectacular.

Since their marriage at St. George's Anglican Church, Cadboro Bay, they have lived at Longview, Texas, where Mr. Remus operates a playhouse and Mrs. Remus conducts a dancing school.

Returning to Victoria Wednesday, to spend Christmas with her parents, Mrs. Remus will dance at the Christmas concert in the Silver Threads Centre the same afternoon.

Don Gray, who organizes the weekly concerts at Silver Threads, is confident Marilyn will get a warm reception from the 400 old-timers expected next Wednesday at 2 p.m.

She was a pupil and later a teacher at the Bebe Eversfield School of Dancing in Victoria, and it was this association which led to her appearance in the Centennial pageant.

Her husband was a professional actor in Florida and Hollywood before he became a director for the John B. Rogers Company, which sent him to Victoria.

Ask The Times

Q. Where is folk singer Jimmie Rodgers, who was recently injured? J.K.

A. He is in hospital in Glendale, California.

Q. When was petroleum first discovered in B.C.? P.M.

A. In 1951 in the Peace River District, according to B.C. government officials.

Q. Who were lieutenant-governor and premier of B.C. in 1871? M.W.

A. Sir Joseph Trutch was lieutenant-governor and J. F. McCreight was premier.

Anyone wishing a question answered is invited to send the question along to the Times, addressed to "Ask the Times" Editor. Questions and answers will be published daily.

All questions should deal with matters of fact and be of general interest. The Times does not undertake to solve conundrums or legal problems. Nor will it attempt to put a value on old coins, stamps or antiques. These should be submitted to a dealer.

PROVINCE-WIDE PETITION PREPARED

Social Workers Slam 'Low' Welfare Grants

A statement of protest against low social assistance rates is being prepared by a group of social workers here.

Drawn up by the Social Action Committee of the Vancouver Island Branch, B.C. Social Workers Association, the declaration is being signed by association members here and elsewhere in the province.

Committee chairman Reg Clarkson said his committee intends giving wide public circulation to the protest in an attempt to win support to submissions which have been made repeatedly to the provincial government.

All signatories have worked a year or more in public welfare offices.

CONCERNED

The statement reads in part:

"We the undersigned are very concerned about the hardship and degradation of families and individuals who are receiving social assistance payments.

"These payments in our opinion have been too low in the past five years to permit the normal decent living that is set out in the Social Welfare Act of B.C.

"Many professional studies have shown that rates of payment over the past five years have been so low as to cause extreme hardship for the recipients. Since the last increase in rates, in June, 1965, there has been a nine per cent increase in the cost-of-living index.

ALLOWANCES

"The minister of social welfare has defended his decision not to establish a professionally competent group to determine what the rates should be, by saying each case is treated individually and overage allowances ensure that no person suffers extreme hardship.

"It is our experience that overage allowances (extra payments above basic rates to meet emergency needs) are not applied in this way.

"All clients are expected to lie within the rates and only rarely are overage allowances approved.

"The administration process also defeats the use of overages because the time and paperwork involved are prohibitive for workers with large caseloads."

In Victoria last weekend the Times outlined the living conditions of a widow and her eight children whose welfare income amounted to $32 per person per month—less than half the amount paid for children in foster home care.

Damages Award $70,000

RCMP Man Blamed As Cyclist Dies

A woman whose husband died following an accident on Vancouver Island involving an RCMP car has been awarded $70,000 in damages from the constable driving the car.

The award was made to Port Alberni widow Johanna Paulina McVey by the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Mrs. McVey sued as the executor of the estate of her husband, David Sidney McVey, who was driving a motorbike.

DRIVER OF THE CAR

Constable Larry Kenneth Wagner, 20, of Port Alberni, was driver of the car. The collision was near Parksville on Dec. 15, 1966.

Supreme court found Wagner 70 per cent responsible and McVey 30 per cent to blame.

NEGLIGENT

The jury said the constable was negligent in driving without consideration for adverse weather and road conditions.

McVey was declared negligent for driving his motorcycle too close to the centre line of the road at a low speed.

The police car struck the motorcycle from the rear.

A provincial RCMP spokesman said RCMP cars are not covered by standard insurance policies but claims of this type are usually met by a federal government fund.

Men Jailed Three Years For Break-In

The men were sentenced to three years each in the penitentiary after they were found guilty in central court today of breaking into the Royal Canadian Navy Sailing Association Nov. 23.

William Goetkin, 24, 3229 Doncaster, and Patrick Foley, 19, 512 Menzies, had pleaded not guilty.

Five bottles of liquor and over $100 in cash were taken from the association's clubhouse at 1001 Maplebank.

Magistrate Ostler praised the work of Saanich detective Herbert Clarke who pieced together the evidence.

Det. Clarke matched a fingerprint on glass from a window broken in the robbery with Goetkin's print. He also matched material found imbedded in gloves taken from a car in which the two accused were passengers, with building material around the window.

Both the accused have criminal records and were released from prison last September.

Allen Resigns From Police Commission

One member of the three-man Esquimalt Police Commission submitted his resignation to Commission chairman Ray Bryant Wednesday.

William Allen, 1060 Craigflower, who completes his second two-year term this month said his resignation was personal and had nothing to do with the Macdonell report, which was critical of some policies of the force.

"The commission was unanimous on the handling of the Macdonell Report and it has absolutely nothing to do with my decision," Mr. Allen said today.

Reeve Ray Bryant said Allen was up for re-appointment this month "and he simply has indicated he does not wish to be re-appointed."

The Reeve said a new commission member will be named at the first meeting of the municipal council in the new year.

CIVIL SERVANTS

Pay Boost Not Ruled Out, Says Bennett

By JOHN MIKA

Premier Bennett today softened his apparent refusal to raise civil service salaries in the wake of suggestions some of the government's 23,000 employees might strike.

He also re-emphasized that the current volatile economic situation will force him to leave some decisions to the last minute before he delivers his budget speech Feb. 9.

Mr. Bennett said it should be remembered that he only declared Tuesday that he had no announcement to make at the annual civil service luncheon in the Empress Hotel, at which he has announced wage increases in the past five years.

The premier was interviewed by telephone in Vancouver where he was to preside at a similar government luncheon for mainland long-service government employees today.

He said "that's a natural reaction" when asked for comment on B.C. Government Employees Association secretary E. P. O'Connor's statement that the premier's Tuesday speech could result in a civil service strike if it means no wage increases in 1968.

AWAIT BUDGET

"Everybody wants to get answers on government policy before the budget," said Mr. Bennett.

"But this is a little different type of year and that's why I dind't say (Tuesday) what we would do.

"You should look at my words very carefully. You'll notice I dind't make any announcement—one way or the other."

(Mr. Bennett Tuesday told civil servants that B.C. is fighting a war against inflation and "for that reason I'm not going to make the usual announcement.")

"I'm not making any announcements about many things—what we're going to do about the municipalities, about the school district grants, about highways, about the homeowners' grant.

"Everybody wants the answer but it'll all be in the budget."

Runaway Car Causes Pile-Up

Police estimated $1,700 damage was caused when a car rolled from its driveway and damaged three parked vehicles.

Police said a car owned by Henrike Rosenbeck, 1803 Belmont, rolled from its driveway west down Begbie and struck a car owned by Edward Wood, 1702 Belmont, parked on the north side of the road, Wednesday night.

This car was pushed into a second car—owned by Mr. Wood. The second car was pushed into a third owned by William Colley, 16 Lewis St.

District-Wide Rally Gets Nod

February Session At Uvic

Greater Victoria's first full-fledged conference between labor, management and representatives from all levels of government will be held in mid-February.

Ald. Ian Stewart, who first broached the idea of a conference last Monday, said the half-day meeting will be held at the University of Victoria.

Ald. Stewart had hoped to reveal the full format of the conference at city council this afternoon, but at press time said he had been unable to tie down a few minor details.

But, following a one-hour discussion with Mayor Hugh Stephen and city manager Dennis Young this morning, Ald. Stewart said he had received tentative approval for his program and his suggestions on members of the panel.

"Mayor Stephen has agreed to take part in the discussions and I think this is most important," Ald. Stewart said. "As the mayor of the capital city of British Columbia his presence will add a great deal of dignity to the proceedings."

One of the details yet to be confirmed is an invitation to Dr. Malcolm Taylor of the University of Victoria to be chairman of the conference.

"I have extended an invitation to the university to have a representative on the panel and also to Dr. Taylor to be general chairman,'

ALL DISTRICTS

Also to be invited to the conference will be the reeves of all regional municipalities and a representative from organized labor, possibly Laurence Ryan, secretary-treasurer of the Victoria Labour Council.

Ald. Stewart said he would strike a committee within the next few days to organize an agenda for the conference.

"The main objective of the conference is fairly obvious. We want to open a frank discussion on the economic future of Greater Victoria and see if we can't find a pattern of objective development over the next five or 10 years.

"It is a subject with which we are all vitally concerned and I am sure that by bringing together a good cross-section of the community we may be able to come up with some answers."

MANY INVITATIONS

In addition to municipal leaders, district members of parliament and members of the legislative assembly will be invited to participate.

Ald. Stewart said he had already received solid pledges of support from the Victoria Chamber of Commerce and the labour council plus independent approval from several local businessmen.

The general format of the meeting will be for the representatives of each group to take 30 minutes to outline their problems and suggestion for the future. At the conculsion of all speeches the meeting will be open for panel discussion.

PREPARING for two-day Christmas festival in Victoria's Sikh Temple, 1210 Topaz Avenue, is Dalip Singh Sidhu (left), priest of the temple, and his helper, Banta Singh Sihota. More than 500 Sikhs are coming from many parts of British Columbia to participate in continuous 48-hour worship beginning at 10 a.m. Friday, December 22, and ending at 10 a.m. December 24. All through the two days and nights, a relay of priests will read non-stop from the Granth Sahib (holy book) seen above. Sikhs worship one God, Akalpurakh, as the universal spirit and recognize Christ as a divinity. (Photo by Halkett.)

STUDENTS INVITE ADULTS

Massed Sing-Along Planned at Square

The spirit of November's March for Millions is far from dead.

Students are inviting the adult community to a massed Christmas carol sing-song in Centennial Square Dec. 22.

Bands from Victoria High, Oak Bay Senior and Junior secondary schools and Central Junior will be on hand to provide the music.

The program, expected to last about an hour, gets under way at 3 p.m. and students will be handing out carol sheets to the shopping public to join in.

The carol sing-along will come on the last day of exams for the students, said Reg Reid, vice-principal at Vic High. They hope to make it an annual event.

The four bands will provide about 250 young musicians, boys and girls. They won't be in uniform and will mix with the carolers.

Directing them will be Axel Waldhaus, music director at Vic High, and Dave Dunnett, who holds the same position with the Oak Bay schools.

"It's a chance for a final Centennial tribute from youth," said Mr. Reid. He said the youngsters also want to extend the spirit of harmony the Project 100 walk aroused.

Victoria's turnout in the march Nov. 25 surpassed all others in communities across Canada this year.

WOMEN FAIL SHOPPING TEST

Housewives may consider themselves good shoppers, but farmers have their own opinions.

Alan Barker, manager of the Vancouver Island Co-Operative Market Board, told an Agricultural Outlook Conference at Courtenay this week he tested the shopping abilities of women in a chain store and he wasn't impressed.

He placed side by side two 10-pound packages of potatoes under different labels and marked up the sale prices as 49 and 59 cents.

The potatoes were exactly the same, but the 59-cent packages sold.

"It wasn't the label," he said, because the next day I changed the prices around and the 59 cent spuds were still the big sellers."

He said he had the same results with other vegetables.

"I wish I could understand the psychology of packaging," he said. "It may be that housewives may be a bit lazy or under the impression the higher the price the better the product."

Buying vegetables in bulk or from an open bin was cheaper, he said, but shoppers preferred packaged goods.

The Grass Goes in Here And Milk Comes Out There

British Columbia has numerous successful dude ranches; why not dude dairy farms as well.

The suggestion was made at an Agricultural Outlook Conference as a means of acquainting people of what is involved in the production of milk and farming in general.

The general feeling was that many people, especially in a large city like Vancouver, have no idea where milk comes from and the mechanics involved in running a dairy farm.

One grower pointed out that a survey conducted in Chicago showed that some people don't know that vegetables are grown in the ground. The believed them to be machine made.

Alec Turner, deputy minister of agriculture, felt that the idea was worth pursuing.

"I know that every dairy couldn't cater to visitors, just as every ranch can't be a dude ranch" he said. "But some farms would be suitable."

He felt it was practical and would provide visitors with a wider knowledge of farming. It could also be made as attractive as dude ranching.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Heath, former Victorians who now live at Campbell River, announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Patricia Ann, to Mr. Richard Bruce Kaiser, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Kaiser, 721 Cowper Street, Victoria. The wedding will take place on Saturday, December 30, at 7:30 p.m., in St. Martin's-in-the-Fields Church. Rev. B. Cowan will officiate. (Jus-Rite Portrait Studio.)

DEAR ABBY . . .

Just Put Brakes On Gran's Driving

By ABIGAIL VAN BUREN

DEAR ABBY: If you can come up with a solution to my problem you are a genius.

We have two children, four and five. My widowed grandmother, who is 64, is always after me to let our children stay overnight with her. She loves them, and they love her, but every time she asks me I try to find an excuse so I won't have to let them go.

You see, Grandma drives a car, and she is the world's worst driver, and when the children are in the car with her, my husband and I worry ourselves sick. You can't imagine what a poor driver she is, Abby. It's a miracle that she hasn't killed herself.

How can we tell her the real reason we don't want our kiddies to stay with her? She thinks she's a good driver, and if anyone says anything to the contrary she gets insulted.

STUMPED

DEAR STUMPED: If Grandma's poor driving has been called to her attention before, she must be aware that there is some talk about it, so save yourself a lot of worry, deception, and pussyfooting, and tell her she can have the kids only if she promises not to drive them anywhere.

DEAR ABBY: After 20 years of marriage, my husband deserted his family for a tramp who already had three bad marriages to her name. One problem is that my "ex" is very good to me and the children. He never misses a birthday or Christmas, and he gives the children money to buy me something special. He does all my house repairs and is educating all four children in expensive schools.

What do I do for him in return for his generosity? Regularly, three times a week I am a "wife" to him—just like old times. This is not hard for me since I still love him.

I am beginning to feel cheap and dirty about it, now that I am "the other woman," because he must be lying to his wife about me just as he used to lie to me about her. Now I don't consider myself any better than the tramp he's married to.

At first I told myself I was getting even with her, but now I realize I am not hurting her, I am just fouling up my own life. I know it isn't right, but I can't seem to help myself. Any advice you give me I promise to follow to the letter. Naturally, sign my name.

TRAPPED

DEAR TRAPPED: If you feel "cheap, dirty, and trapped," then the only way you can feel "clean and free" is to put an end to the "old times" sessions. You are suffering from creeping loss of self-esteem. I think you know what you should do; you desperately want someone to tell you that you must.

DEAR ABBY: I am 46 and my gentleman friend is 65. When we go to dinner and a movie, he pays for it. I do all the driving and use my car because he doesn't drive. In fact, he doesn't even own a car. This has nothing to do with his financial situation as he isn't hurting for money.

Do you think I should pay for all the gasoline?

Also when we go on overnight trips (strictly platonic), who should pay for the motel? I like to be proper.

ELMIRA

DEAR ELMIRA: The gentleman should pay for everything he can gracefully pay for. But if you "like to be proper," I suggest you pay for your own separate lodging on those overnight trips.

For Abby's new booklet "What Teen-agers Want To Know," send $1.00 to Abby, Box 69700, Los Angeles, Calif., 90069.

CLUBWOMEN'S NEWS

Annual Meeting — Dean Brian Whitlow installed the officers of the 1968 executive of the Anglican Church Women of Christ Church Cathedral, Evening Branch, at the organization's annual meeting. Dean Whitlow also addressed the meeting. Officers are: President, Mrs. H. E. Hubbard; vice-president, Mrs. C. C. Crerar; recording secretary, Mrs. S. Leal; corresponding secretary, Miss Alice George; treasurer, Mrs. A. Wilton; social service secretary, Miss Helen Davis; education secretary, Miss Ruth Scott; Dorcas supplies, Miss Dorothy Lucas; Prayer Partner, Mrs. B. Murgatroyd; Living Message secretary, Mrs. E. F. Stewart; United Thank Offering, Mrs. Lou Avery; Extra Cents secretary, Miss Eveline Matthews. Miss Amy Hall was nominations chairman, assisted by Mrs. E. F. Stewart and Mrs. A. Welton. Refreshments were served and a social evening was held following the meeting.

Buffet Supper—The Royal Roads Chapter IODE was recently entertained at a buffet supper in the Cavendish Avenue home of Mrs. M. Zabel. Special guests were Mrs. T. W. Hitchman and Mrs. Beckter. Miss Helen Rattray, educational secretary, read reports from the chapter's adopted schools at Williams Harbor, Fort Smith, N.W.T., and Kleena Kleena. Mrs. J. C. F. Blowey reported that 12 nursery bags and health kits were packed to be sent to Northwest Territory hospitals. Two names were reported of local families needing Christmas hampers. Members voted $10 to the Jessie R. Burke fund for cancer research, $15 to the National War Memorial bursary, $15 to Commonwealth Relations, $5 to Canadian Scene, $5 to Democratic Alert, $2 to the Peace Garden. It was announced that $11.10 was realized at the bake sale, and $48 at the Dutch auction.

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708 VIEW

Unaware of the honor to be conferred on her later, Mrs. George Pearkes (centre) is greeted in the Empress Hotel's conservatory prior to Wednesday's tea by vice-president of the Women's Canadian Club, Mrs. D. Leslie Macdonell, at left, and president Mrs. H. H. Youson. (William E. John.)

Annual Christmas Tea of Women's Canadian Club

MAMMOTH PARTY FILLS BALLROOM

One of the largest pre-Christmas parties in Victoria took place in the Empress Hotel's Crystal Ballroom on Wednesday afternoon, when more than 400 members of the Women's Canadian Club gathered for the group's annual year-end tea.

The ballroom was a-glitter with holiday decorations. A huge lighted Christmas tree dominated the stage and the tall walls were gay with swags of cedar and huge red bells.

The long tables that crowded the ballroom were covered in green cloths that formed a perfect foil for decorations of gilded pine cones and poinsettias, teamed with greenery, holly and bright red baubles. Chunky scarlet candles set a final festive note.

TWO ARTISTS

David Galbraith, well-known singer, who came here from Edmonton in June, was the guest artist. He gave a varied program that ranged from Christmas carols to excerpts from "Fiddler on the Roof." Nothing could be heard during his performance except his outstanding singing and the excellent piano accompaniment of Mrs. Grace Timp. The thunderous applause confirmed that the program was one of the best to be presented at the club's annual gathering.

The artists were introduced by program convener, Mrs. D. Leslie Macdonell, and thanked by president Mrs. H. H. Youson.

An unexpected highlight of the afternoon was the presentation of an honorary membership pin to Mrs. George R. Pearkes, wife of the Lieutenant-Governor. Mrs. Pearkes is honorary president of the club.

HEAD TABLE GUESTS

Seated with Mrs. Pearkes and Mrs. Youson at the head table were Mrs. W. A. C. Bennett, wife of the provincial premier; Mrs. Hugh Stephen, wife of Victoria's mayor; Mrs. F. M. Corbett, Mrs. R. G. McKee, Dr. Olga Jardine, Mrs. T. H. Johns, Mrs. Gordon Wismer, Mrs. H. L. Smith, Mrs. F. M. Aldous, Mrs. Percy B. Scurrah, Mrs. Dorothy Wrotnowski, Mrs. Pat Dufour, Mrs. Wilfred Davenport, Mrs. Frank Mack, Mrs. C. L. Smith, Mrs. R. T. Wallace, Mrs. D. Galbraith, Mrs. Timp, Mr. David Galbraith, Miss Mary Ashworth, Mrs. Macdonnell and Miss Elizabeth Forbes.

Mrs. Macdonell and Miss Forbes presided at the urns on the head table.

A veritable army of executive members and special guests presided at each of the other tables that filled the ballroom. These included Mrs. A. Stringer, Mrs. Howard Damaske, Miss Jessie Gordon, Mrs. M. Routledge, Mrs. W. E. Ireland, Mrs. P. J. Sinnott, Mrs. L. Topham, Mrs. A. G. Slocomb, Mrs. H. Henderson, Mrs. B. L. Brown, Miss M. Simpson, Mrs. P. Mulcahy, Mrs. D. MacLeod, Mrs. W. G. Flett, Mrs. A. T. M. Cowley, Mrs. A. Oswald, Mrs. A. Sheard, Mrs. J. Robertson, Mrs. Carlton Collard, Mrs. Daryl Elford, and Mrs. H. K. Johnston.

Mrs. R. R. Jeffels, Mrs. R. H. MacDougall, Mrs. J. H. Howard, Mrs. Bruce Hutchison, Mrs. K. O. Wright, Mrs. G. Neil Perry, Mrs. G. Gray, Mrs. W. Redford, Mrs. N. Featherstone, Mrs. A. Worthington, Mrs. G. Smith, Mrs. G. Brown, Mrs. H. W. Kerley, Mrs. E. V. Darling, Mrs. R. Tannahill, Mrs. W. Cathro, Mrs. W. Milne, Mrs. J. Brown, Mrs. B. C. Bracewell and Mrs. O. M. Barker.

Mrs. R. T. Wallace, as social convener, was in charge of party arrangements and decorations. Tickets were handled by Mrs. Frank Mack and Mrs. W. Redford.

MRS. JESSIE BYRON

Chapter on Salt Spring Honors Long-Time Member

Cups and saucers, decorated with the IODE crest, were presented to Mrs. Jesse Byron by regent Mrs. J. K. Parker when HMS Ganges Chapter IODE met recently. The presentation was to honor the Byrons' recent golden wedding anniversary. Mrs. Byron, a chapter member since 1935, also received an IODE 25-year membership pin.

Services convener Mrs. Colin King announced plans completed for Christmas hampers to be donated by the group. Mrs. B. Earl Hardie will be in charge of the packing of hampers on Dec. 19. Members are to send their donations to the hall of the United Church by 1:30 p.m. of that day.

Members donated candy. This will be sent by the educational secretary, Mrs. George Wells, to the chapter's adopted school at Quilchena.

Contributions were voted to the Eva Shortreed Memorial Fund. These were made in the memory of Mrs. W. M. Mouat and Mrs. Maurice Atkins. Donations were also voted to the International Peace Garden's maintenance fund and the publication, Canadian Scene.

World affairs convener, Mrs. Edwin Worthington, read an account of the opening of the British Parliament by Queen Elizabeth. This was an excerpt from a letter written by an American girl to her grandmother, a member of the chapter.

Mrs. George St. Denis and Mrs. H. J. Carlin were tea hostesses.

GREEN AND PURPLE STRIPES

Jungle Comes Downtown With Zippy New Rainwear

MONTREAL (CP)—Downtown streets may take on a jungle air and men may reach for their hunting rifles come spring when the wildest, zippiest, bright green and purple "zebras" appear.

Creating all the excitement is a unique rainwear ensemble which literally covers the fashion-conscious gal from head to toes in bright purple and green stripes while keeping her perfectly dry. Designed by Lydia Fashions of Montreal, the zippered cape and leggings costume was just part of a collection of rainwear fashions previewed Tuesday.

Contrary to previous trends which created rainwear in dull, drab colors, Lydia Fashions this year has made a complete reversal and brought out a variety of ensembles in snow-white quilted nylon or sailcloth materials.

One hundred per cent waterproof, the coats feature smart gold clasps instead of buttons, side pockets with zippers or nail studs and belts.

Most coats feature hem-lines above the knee and details include tiny fold hammer studs, or tortoise shell buckles and buttons. Shiny knee-high boots in matching colors, complement the outfits.

New also is a selection of coat and dress ensembles, matched in tones of eggshell, offset with cinnamon checks or deeper beige and cocoa trims around collars and cuffs. Both dresses and coats are completely water-repellent, offering maximum protection from the elements.

Hats are evident everywhere, most matching in shade with coats and even pant-suits, and being completely rain-proof.

Evening fashion wear featured a pure silk, emerald green cape tied in a large bow at the chin, while another creation in deep red velvet with gold trim, had a hemline plunging to mid-calf blending a chic appearance with complete protection.

Planning Party For Wednesday

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Kiwanis Villa will hold a Christmas party for the residents next Wednesday. The affair will be held at the Villa, 3035 Cook Street. A program will be provided by Don Gray and his entertainers. Refreshments will be served. The party will last from 7.30 to 9 p.m.

Women

Women's Editor — Pat Dufour

At President's Party

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. George R. Pearkes will attend a sherry party, to be given by Mr. W. H. Armstrong, president of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, and Mrs. Armstrong on Friday. The affair will precede the annual Chamber of Commerce Christmas party, to be held at the Empress Hotel.

That evening, His Honor and Mrs. Pearkes will attend the annual Christmas party of the British Columbia Indian Arts and Welfare Society, to be held in the cafeteria of the Douglas Building.

Shower

Saturday bride-elect Miss Roberta Godtel was recently honored at a tea and shower by Mrs. Jack Brice in her Cornwall Street home. A chest held gifts from Mrs. M. Godtel, the bride-elect's mother; Mrs. M. McKenzie, the groom - elect's aunt, and Mrs. O. Bailey, cousin of the groom-elect, both of Wiarton, Ontario; Mrs. V. Gault, Mrs. A. Moyer, Mrs. M. Cliff, Mrs. S. Morgan, Mrs. D. Jeanes, Mrs. J. Cathro, Mrs. Ellen Hyland, Mrs G. Robertson, Mrs. H. Rennie, Mrs. B. Smith, Mrs. S. Brice, Mrs. J. Brice and Mrs. Hansen. Mrs. M. Godtel presided at the tea table.

Holiday Weekend

Mr. and Mrs. Alan White, 725 Kings Road, and Lt.-Cmdr. and Mrs. Donald R. White, 9150 Canora Road, with Doug, Donna, June, Wendy, Judy, Karen and Leslie, will travel to the mainland for the Christmas weekend. While there, they will stay with Mr. and Mrs. Brian Cole of North Vancouver.

Christmas Gathering

The St. Charles Street home of Mrs. G. Smith was gay with holiday decorations when the Dogwood Social Credit Women's Auxiliary held a short meeting and Christmas party. The meeting was conducted by president Mrs. M. C. Walkemeyer and Mrs. M. Sater, secretary, read the roll call and minutes. Mrs. E. Hawkins played the accordion. Mrs. H. H. Davis played organ music for the singing of carols. Gifts were exchanged and refreshments served by the hostess, assisted by some of the members. The party was convened by Mrs. D. J. Steves.

Witness Wedding

Travelling to Victoria to hear the Roach-Nedelec vows were Mr. Severe Blaquierre, Edam, Sask.; Mr. and Mrs. George Lessard of Meota, Sask.; Mr. Mart Harcourt, Quill Lake, Sask.; Mr. Bob Fisher and Mr. John O'Rourke of Rosetown, Sask.; Mr. Jim Smith, McGee, Sask.; Mr. Ernest Roach, Medford, Ore.; Mr. John Nedelec, Mr. and Mrs. Rene Nedelec, all of Trail; Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Mumford with Dale and Myles, of Cloverdale; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ell, Mrs. R. Duggan with Raymond and Dianne, Mr. and Mrs. T. Harder with Marlene, Miss Evelyn Wagner, all of Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. P. Jorgenson with Ann, all of Seattle; Miss Clara Witt, New Westminster; Mr. and Mrs. L. Philley of North Surrey; Mr. and Mrs. N. Palmer of Nanaimo; Mr. and Mrs. Ted Palmer with Brent, all of Duncan.

Travel Overseas

Vancouver Island residents continue to stop at British Columbia House while in London, Eng. Recent signatures in the visitors' book include those of Mrs. Joyce B. Whiting, Mr. Keith Brain and Miss Joanne Hemmingsen, all of Victoria, and Mr. Murray Pletzer, Duncan.

Fete Bride-Elect

Bride-elect Miss Nan Elliott was recently honored at a shower by Miss Sandra Superle in the Heron Street home of her mother, Mrs. M. Superle. Corsages were presented to the honor guest, Mrs. Reid Elliott, the bride-elect's mother, and Mrs. Superle. Miss Elliott was presented with a comic album of her life which had been assembled by the guests. Party games were played and refreshments served. Guests included Mrs. F. Burton, Mrs. R. Pollock, Mrs. H. Davy, Mrs. G. N. Elliott, Mrs. Beatty Maclean, Mrs. F. Taaffe, Mrs. T. Solly, Mrs. Paul Williamson, Mrs. G. R. Elliott and Miss Joan Taaffe.

Pot-Luck Luncheon

Women who joined the church during the past year and women of the United Gorge View Homes were special guests when Metropolitan United Church Women held a Christmas pot - luck luncheon in Pendray Hall. They were welcomed by president Mrs. R. A. Sharrocks. The party was convened by the Outreach Unit. Miss Mildred Mossop gave the devotional. Mrs. H. H. Youson was soloist, being accompanied by Mrs. Willard Ireland. Readings, titled "Frolic and Fidelity," were given by Mrs. J. Nicol. A short meeting ended the activities.

Hear Vows

Travelling to Victoria to attend the Huot-Mill wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Gerard A. Huot and Miss Pat Huot, all of Montreal; the Misses Julie Highet, Beverly Mill, Carell Whalen, Cynthia Challenger, Sue Lennox, Mr. and Mrs. R. Lobb, Mr. L. Heron and Mr. J. Boone, all of Vancouver.

They're 'God's Helpers'

In Dryden, Ont., there is a small group of children who meet weekly and call themselves God's Helpers. The other day they sent a contribution to the Unitarian Service Committee, at 56 Sparks Street, Ottawa, together with a little essay which went in part, "I like to bring five cents to God's Helpers, because five cents provides a lot of food for the poor and with that five cents I'd probably buy candy."

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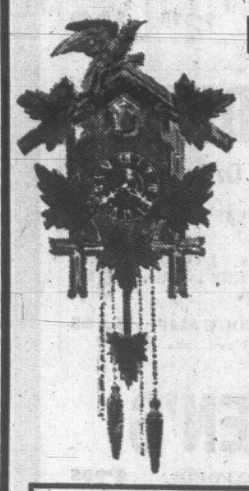

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By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN

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I do not know how it seems to you, but it seems to me that we had just gotten everything fixed up for summer fun when, all of a sudden, Christmas is breathing down our neck. That is the way time flies!

Perhaps you are on of those farsighted and gifted persons who begin buying Christmas presents in June or earlier. If so, I salute you and I envy you. However, I cannot honestly claim to be one of you. I belong to the majority who put shopping much later than they should.

There are two schools of thought. I heard a woman say just the other day that she loves the last-minute rush and thinks that those who are ready far ahead of time miss the fun. Of course, there is a middle road but let's face it, this isn't the middle. It is nearing the end.

Nevertheless, don't panic. That is the worst thing you could do now, not only for you but for those for whom you are selecting gifts. This is the time for a cool head.

Make two lists. First list the people to whom you are going to give a gift. Now forget that list for a while and make another. This should include all the different categories of possible presents. Now try to correlate the two lists, deciding who would like what. This is helpful because each list reminds you of something or someone on the other list.

To give you an assist, here are a few possiblities.

I will put this down even if you have no doubt thought of it—perfume. In fact, in the world of cosmetics, there are myriad lovely articles. You have a great opportunity to give someone a luxury gift. By that I do not mean that it must be very expensive, but one of those items women do not usually buy for themselves.

There is a book for everyone. There are all kinds of do-it-yourself books. You might think of this in connection with someone's hobby. For instance a rare cookbook will please a gourmet, as a book about fishing will please a fisherman, or one about needlepoint or knitting or photography will please someone else.

Then there are historical books, biographies, books about travel, philosophy, religion, poetry, opera, novels, and humorous books. The list is endless.

Then, of course, there are records! Natually, you have to be well acquainted with a person's taste in music for this.

Then there is photography. I never knew any photo buff who had all the equipment he or she would like to have.

Of course, you can always hook those who love to fish with some new equipment.

Then there is the world of sports, skis, skates, you name it!

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SHOPPING GUIDE

Modern Plastic Mud For Good Clean Fun

By Penny Saver

Modern science never ceases to amaze me. The man who first synthesized plastic began a trend that has filled the world with new materials of every description. Plastic has been made strong enough to replace metal and soft enough to erase pencil. Its surface can be hard and smooth or soft and clammy. One of the more common uses for plastic is in children's toys. Cheap, sturdy and, for the most part, non-toxic, it is just the material for a child to bash about. My china and wood toys were lovely but very, very fragile.

Fragile is the last word that could describe the toy I found the other day. It is a kind of plastic mud with the clammy texture of a frog. For $1.49 you buy a storage tub with a supply of powder. Just add the indicated amount of water to the powder and you have—plastic mud. This stuff clings to itself and has an infinity of uses to amuse a child. And if you, as chief cleaning-woman, are worrying about the mess—don't. I found that this substance would rather cling to itself than anything else. My child dropped it in the grass and for days we were pulling out grass clippings, each one as clean as before. A close-set pile will hold the plastic, but it doesn't seem to stain the fibres, it just sticks underneath until you can work it out.

If you are weary of opening your door to piles of greeting cards, why not invest in a plastic Santa Claus who will hang on your door to receive the mail. This bright old fellow is weatherproof and makes an attractive and seasonal decoration. The cost is $1.49.

Plastic can also be used as a waterproof lining. To keep my Christmas purchases dry, I invested $4.95 in a plastic-lined shopping bag. The outside of this bag is made of colored cotton printed with "pop" designs and I find that it makes me feel cheerful as I plod through our dreary rain. And it makes me feel cheerful too, to know that my gifts will be as dry when I reach home as when I left the store. These bags are about the same size as an ordinary paper shopping bag with easy-to-hold drawstring handles.

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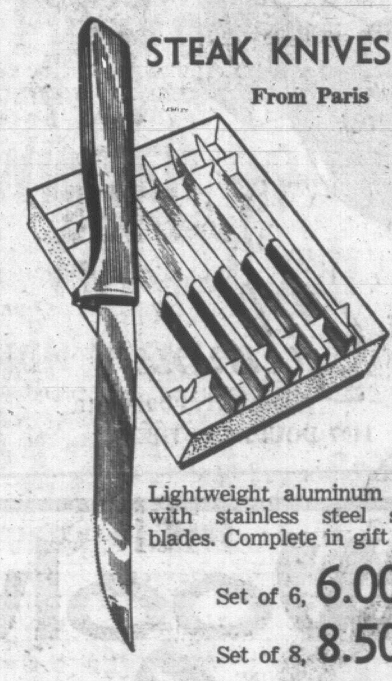

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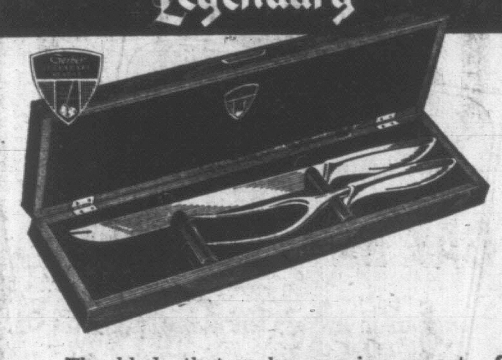

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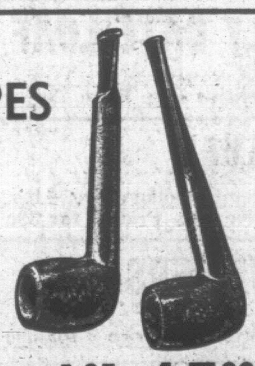

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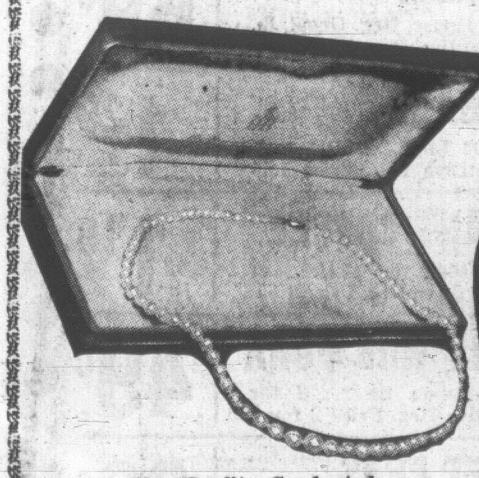

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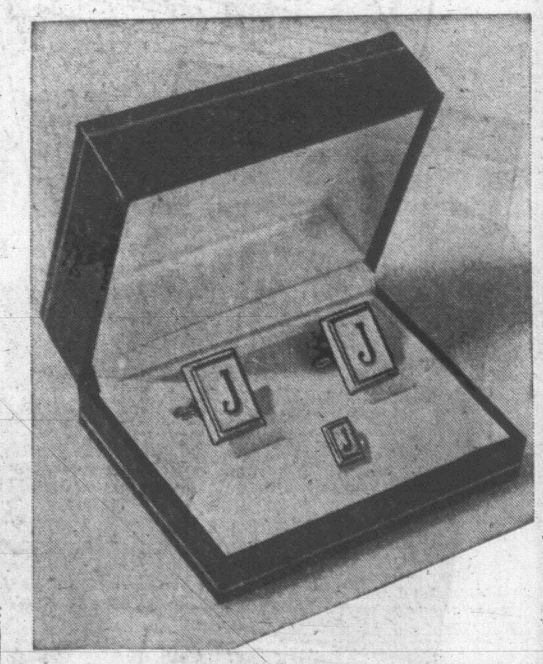

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The bride chose a long, slim gown of silk velvet, styled with a bateau neckline and elbow-length sleeves. The gown was accented by a crystal beaded panel that extended the length of the sleeves and the skirt of the gown. A detachable court train swept back from the shoulders. The full cathedral veil was held by a coronet of feathered stephanotis. The bride's triangular bouquet was of white roses, surrounded by ivy.

Parents of the principals are Mr. and Mrs. Stanley J. Mill, 4054 Haro Road, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerard A Huot, of Montreal.

Father A. Leonard officiated at the ceremony, assisted by Rev. A. Calder of the Oak Bay United Church. The bride's father gave her in marriage.

The church was decorated with large standards of pink and cream carnations.

Attending the bride were Miss Julie Highet, maid of honor; Miss Beverly Mill, the bride's sister, and Miss Carrel Whalen, bridesmaids, all of Vancouver. The three wore identical gowns in peacock blue velvet, with bateau necklines and elbow-length sleeves. Full-length watteau trains swept back from tiny bridal bows on the shoulders. They wore tiny floral headpieces en tone. Their bouquets were of soft pink carnations, backed with ivy sprigs. Each wore the bride's gift of a silver charm bracelet with the charm of a miniature bride and groom.

Best man was Bill Foster. Dennis Campbell and Cameron Young were ushers.

After the ceremony there was a reception at Executive House. The bridal party was seated at a long table decorated with a silver bowl of pink sweetheart roses. The three-tier wedding cake was topped with a vase of sweetheart roses.

The toast to the bride's happiness was proposed by her uncle, Arthur Button.

Serviteurs were the Misses Pauline Clarke, Beverly Clarke, Linda Robertson, Carol Robertson, Pat Huot and Mrs. Douglas Dickie. Miss Cheryl Bulmer handled the guest book.

For traveling up-Island for the honeymoon, the bride chose a gold lame ensemble with an A-line tunic, trimmed along the hem with a self bow in front. A matching skirt showed below the tunic. Gold shoes and a hat and stole of mink complemented the ensemble.

The couple are to live in Victoria.

Celebrities Tell Secrets

LONDON (Reuters)—Politicians, millionaires, and movie stars reveal their gastronomic tastes in a new book of recipes called Celebrity Cooking, published recently in London.

The publisher, Paul Hamlyn, collected favorite recipes from more than 400 international celebrities for the 239-page cookbook.

Prime Minister Wilson, whose preference for bottle sauce and chips is well-known, contributed a recipe for old-fashioned gingerbread.

When movie stars raid the pantry they seem to go in for more exotic dishes.—Dirk Bogarde produced a recipe for Spanish paella and Hungarian-born actress Zsa Zsa Gabor went in for paprika chicken.

Three millionaires showed surprisingly simple tastes. U.S. hotel owner Conrad Hilton chose tossed salad, while oil magnates Paul Getty and Nulbar Gulbenkian chose chocolate fudge and moussaka, respectively.

Playwright Noel Coward chose oeufs Vaudoise—scrambled eggs with vermouth and shrimps, topped with shaved almonds. British actor Paul Scofield preferred oeufs a la pasha — eggs with onions, cheese, garlic and yoghurt.

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Fr. Alexis Auger, O.S.M., officiated at the double-ring ceremony that united the youngest daughter of Mrs. Thomas Nedelec and the late Mr. Thomas Nedelec of Vawn, Sask., and the son of Mrs. J. Roach and the late Mr. Jerry Roach, Rosetown, Sask. John Lynch and Dale Mumford served as altar boys.

The bride's eldest brother, Roger Nedelec, gave her in marriage.

Miss Delia Dion and Miss Sandra Pritchard, the bride's attendants, wore identical full-length gowns of red velvet, styled along empire lines, and matching headpieces. They carried bouquets of white carnations.

Anne Murphy was flower girl in a floor-length gown of white brocaded taffeta. Her bouquet was a nosegay of white carnations, centred with a white rose. Kerry Palmer as ringbearer, accompanied her down the aisle.

Best man was Charles Nedelec, the bride's brother. The groom's nephew, Jim Lynch, and Rene Nedelec were ushers.

During the service and the signing of the register, Misses Pat Lynch and Pat Malenfant sang "Ave Maria," "Panis Angelicus" and "On this Day."

At the reception in the Tally-Ho Travelodge, the bride's table was decorated with red roses and centred by a three-tier wedding cake. Elton Murphy proposed the toast to the bride's happiness. Several telegrams of congratulation were read.

For motoring on honeymoon to Oregon, the bride chose an orange and brown wool dress teamed with a brown wool boxer coat and matching accessories. Yellow roses en corsage completed her ensemble.

On their return the couple will take up residence as proprietors of The Islander Motel, 35 Gorge Road.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. McDiarmid, 5141 Cordova Bay Road, will hold an "open house" in the parish hall of Cordova Bay United Church next Tuesday, from 7 to 9 p.m., in honor of their parents' golden wedding anniversary. The couple was married on December 19, 1917, in North Battleford, Sask. They have lived in Victoria for the past 22 years. They have three children, the Misses Jean and Ferne McDiarmid, both living at home, and Hugh, who lives in Mervin, Sask. There is one grandchild. Mr. and Mrs. McDiarmid have requested that no gifts be given them on the occasion of their anniversary.

HONOR MRS. COLIN MOIR

Parties Herald Wedding Held in Victoria Church

Mrs. Colin Moir, nee Carolyne Gilchrist, was honored at a round of showers prior to her recent wedding.

Mrs. C. Brown entertained her niece at a shower in her Ascot Drive home. A silver and white Christmas corsage was presented to the guest of honor. Mrs. R. Gilchrist, mother of the bride, Mrs. M. Moir, mother of the groom, and Mrs. E. Druce, the bride's grandmother, received Christmas corsages. A decorated miniature watering can was suspended over the honor guest's chair as she opened gifts contained in a decorated laundry basket.

Guests included Mrs. A. Sadler, Mrs. E. Lea, Mrs. A. Moffat, Mrs. D. Barrie, Mrs. A. Mitchell, Mrs. F. Rogers, Mrs. D. Foreman, Mrs. B. Kehn, Mrs. J. de Blois, Mrs. B. Bradshaw, Mrs. K. Druce, Mrs. E. Forrest, Mrs. J. Brown, Mrs. J. Etter, Mrs. A. Emery, and Miss Gail Foreman. Mrs. Moir and Mrs. Gilchrist presided at the candlelit refreshment table, which was centred with a pink and white shower cake.

Christmas corsages were presented to the honor guest and her mother when Mrs. E. Murrell entertained at a shower in her Hillside Avenue home. Guests included Mrs. B. Douglas, Mrs. A. Day, Mrs. C. Brown, Mrs. K. Druce, Mrs. E. Druce, Mrs. M. Mollin, the Misses Judy Murrell, Linda Olmstead and Wenda Douglas. Miss Jill Mollin assisted the bride in opening her gifts.

Mrs. W. Crossley and her daughter Frances were co-hostesses at a shower in the former's Brighton Avenue home. Corsages of roses and carnations were presented to the bride, her mother and the mother of the groom. Guests were co-workers of the bride. A gaily decorated grocery buggy held gifts from Miss Denise Weeks, Miss Margaret Maymith, Mrs. I. Robinson, Mrs. M. Curry, Mrs. V. Layton, Mrs. J. Cullingford, Mrs. G. McLellan, Miss Susan Filgate, Mrs. R. Bridges, Mrs. L. McKay, Mrs. J. Weston, Mrs. G. Offer, Mrs. D. Ferguson, Mrs. G. Fish, Mrs. A. Russel, Mrs. A. Day, Miss Pat Connor, Mrs. Betty Robinson, Mrs. Kris Leys and Mrs. E. Ferguson. A miniature replica of the bridal party, made of angelfood cake was presented to the honor guest.

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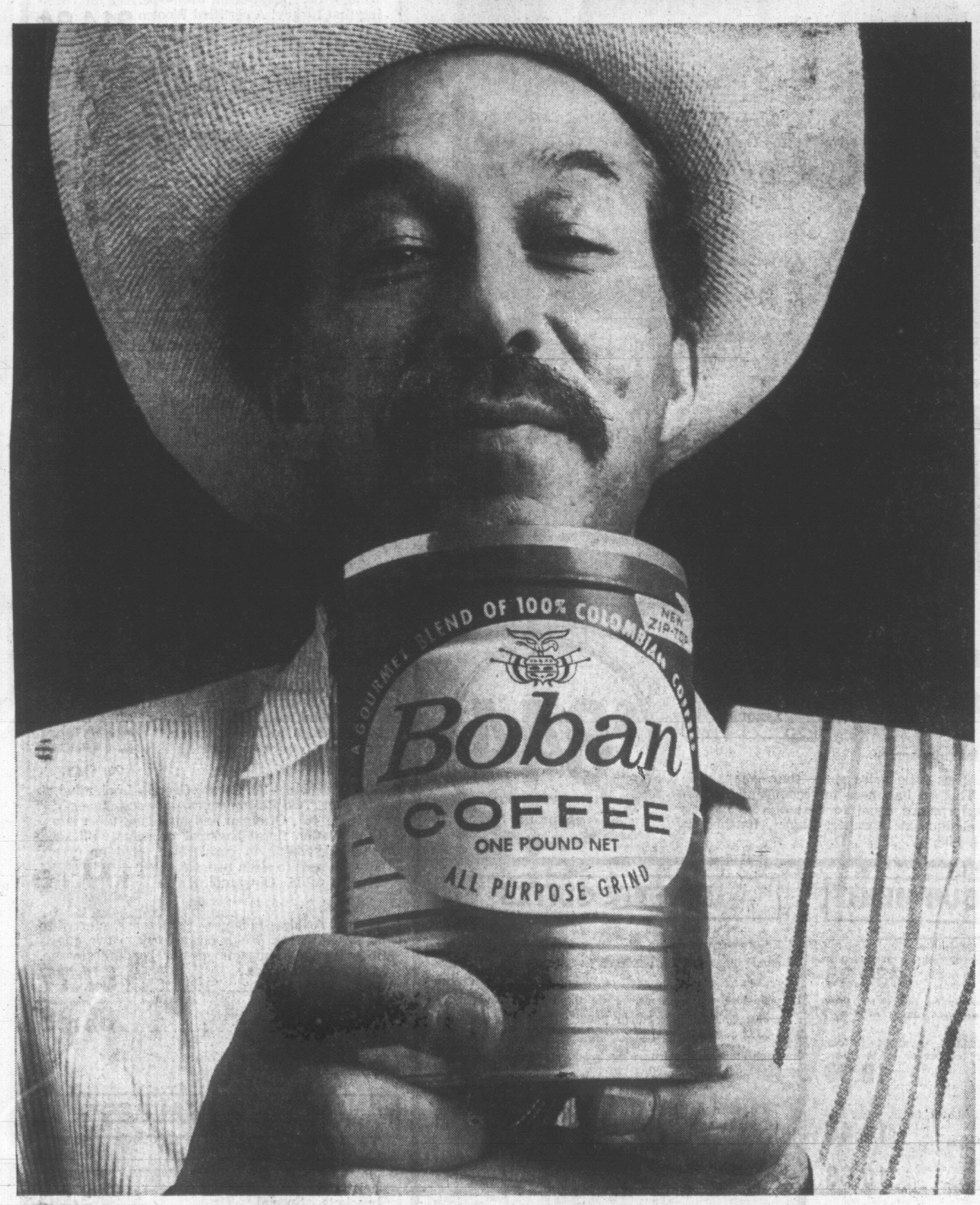

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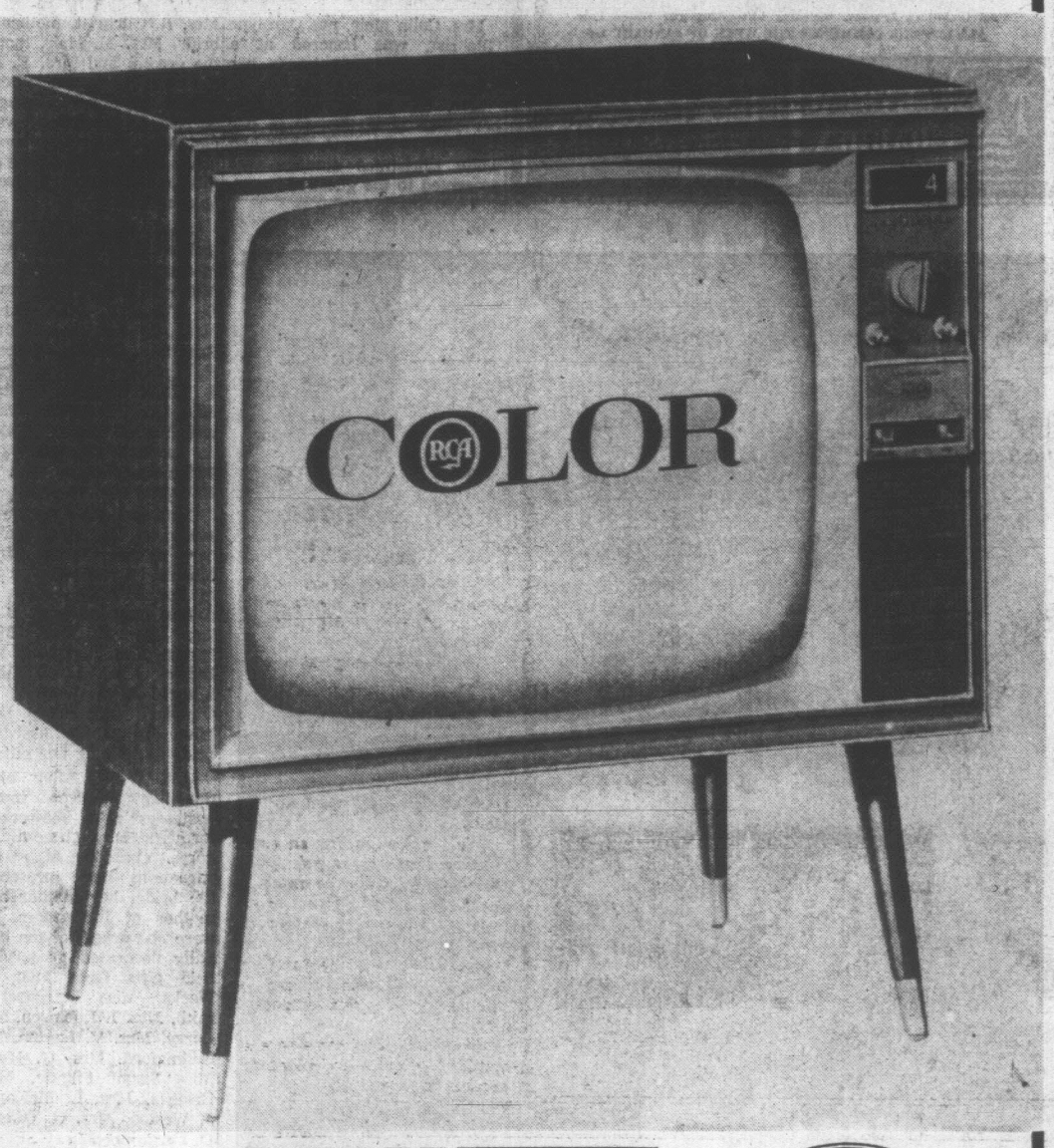

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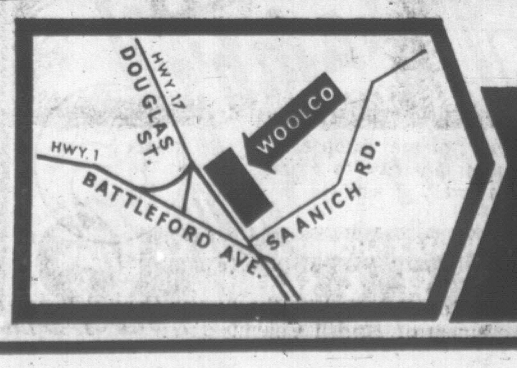

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The new formula, already approved by the city's finance committee, will see 245 civic workers receive a 26-cent-an-hour pay increase moving their hourly rates from $2.44 to $2.70.

Skilled workers and foremen will receive a 40-cent-an-hour boost from $3 to $3.40.

The increase for the general workers is 10.6 per cent on the basic rate, the increase for the other group 13.3 per cent for an average over-all increase for all outside workers of 11 per cent.

If ratified by council and the unions involved the increases will become effective in 1968.

The increases follow the presentation of a detailed report by T. J. Plunkett Ltd., which stated that many of the wage brackets were out of line with comparable jobs in industry.

The report also noted that even with the increases city-employed laborers would receive a lower hourly wage than their counterparts in construction or the forest industry.

But it stressed that the city-hired workman was employed 12 months every year while the laborer in other fields suffered winter layoffs.

Hippie Paper Ban Called Political Move

VANCOUVER (CP) — Mayor Tom Campbell was "autocratic, dictatorial" and seeking political mileage when he banned the Georgia Straight, a lawyer for the hippie-style weekly newspaper said Wednesday in B.C. Supreme Court.

Lawyer John Laxton rejected the mayor's sworn testimony that Milton Harrell, the city licence inspector, was the one who made the decision to suspend the paper's business licence. The licence was lifted Sept. 28 to Oct. 20.

MAYOR'S DECISION

The lawyer said Mr. Campbell alone made the decision to lift the licence and the mayor gave the licence inspector what amounted to an order to take the action.

Publishers Dan McLeod and Peter Hlookoff are asking for a declaration that the city's suspension was illegal. They want $17,500 damages and a declaration that a section of the city charter under which the licence was suspended is invalid.

Under the charter, the licence inspector has the right to suspend any city business licence on grounds of alleged gross misconduct. He is the sole authority in this, but there is the right of appeal to city council.

Mr. Laxton said the newspaper was not told what it was doing wrong when its licence was suspended and there was no prior hearing at which it could defend itself.

ALLEGED "FILTH"

Tuesday, the court was shown a taped television program in which Mayor Campbell ordered the suspension on the grounds that its alleged "filth" reached into city schools.

The mayor said that when he used the "I did it" expression on the show they were really only figures of speech. He said he was using the expressions with "political licence."

He said he merely recommended to Harrell that he consider suspending the newspaper's licence.

The hearing continues.

Salvation Army Short of Space For Transients

The Salvation Army needs extra space for its men's social service centre at 525 Johnson Street.

"We are turning away as many as 15 homeless men a day," said Brig. Cecil Bonar, supervisor, "because there is no room for them."

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ROBERTS — Born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. (Skooke) Roberts (nee Jill Lakes), a son, Richard Arthur Maynard, 7 lbs. 3 ozs., Dec. 8, 1967, at St. Paul's Hospital in Vancouver, B.C.

WILSON—Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wilson (nee Clarke), 6170 Wallace Dr., Victoria, B.C., at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on December 10, 1967, a daughter, Michele Maureen, 7 lbs. 10 ozs. Many thanks to Dr. Cox and staff.

5 DEATHS AND FUNERALS

ALLEN—In Victoria, B.C., on Dec. 12, 1967, Mrs. Beatrice Annetta Allen, widow of Wilton Homer Allen, aged 72 years, born in Hamilton, Washington, and a resident of Victoria for the past 12 years, late residence, 534 Fraser St., formerly of Lloydminster, Sask. She leaves her son, Warren Allen, Rocky Point Road; her daughters Mrs. Harry (Marjorie) Wood, Hope, B.C., Mrs. Jack (Muriel) Buell, Lloydminster, Sask., Mrs. Leonard (Barbara) Jacobson, Lethbridge, Alta., and Mrs. Virgil (Wilma) Skinner, Edmonton, Alta.; 24 grandchildren, Norwood, Howard and Garfield 18 great grandchildren; her brother Green; and her sisters, Mrs. Uma Allen, Mrs. Dorothy Johnson, and Mrs. Mildred Patmore.

Service will be held in the Sands Funeral Chapel of Heather, Colwood, B.C., on Friday, Dec. 15, 1967, at 3 p.m. Dr. D. E. Alcorn officiating. Interment in Hatley Memorial Gardens.

CHURCHILL—In Victoria, B.C., on December 12, 1967, Mrs. Georgina Churchill, widow of Mr. Clyde Churchill, aged 81 years; born in Toronto, Ontario, and a resident of Victoria for the past 14 months, late residence, 90 Linden Ave. She leaves her daughters, Mrs. Fern Jesson, Vancouver, B.C.; Mrs. Blanche Aasor, Victoria, B.C.; Mrs. Susan Headley, Seattle, Wash.; Mrs. Jean Morehead, Corvallis, Oregon; Mrs. Audry Taylor, Virginia; Mrs. Mary Kearns, Toronto, Ontario; Mrs. Gladys Rooks, Marwayne, Alberta, and Mrs. Edith Stenenson, Edmonton, Alberta; and her sons, Blondy, Wainwright, Alberta; Donald, Paradise Valley, Alberta; Elmer, Kinuso, Alta.; Teddy, Edmonton, Alberta; Bert, Jimmie and Bobby, Kinuso, Alberta; 102 grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Predeceased by her son, Jack Churchill, in 1952, and her daughter, Mrs. Evelyn Holgate, in 1966. Service will be held in the United Church, Kinuso, Alberta, on Monday afternoon, December 18, 1967. Interment in the Kinuso Cemetery. Arrangements by the Sands Mortuary Limited.

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5 DEATHS AND FUNERALS

GLOVER — Edwin (Harley) Glover, aged 46 years, of 420 Rodello St., Comox, passed away Dec. 13, 1967, following a brief illness, born in Victoria, former Sales Manager of Butterworth Moving Company, Comox, resident there since 1955. He leaves his wife, Doris A., daughters, Cathy and Lori, at home; his mother, Mrs. Victoria Glover, and brother, Edward, both of Victoria. He served in The Second World War as a Sgt. in the Canadian Army, transferring later to the R.C.A.F. permanent force. He was an associate member of the N.C.O.'s Mess, CFB Comox and was an ardent bowler.

Funeral services will be held in McCall Bros. FLORAL CHAPEL, Johnson and Vancouver Sts., on Friday, Dec. 15, at 1:15 p.m. Rev. Canon Grahame Baker officiating. Interment at Royal Oak Burial Park.

JUNG HONG YIN—In hospital in Victoria, B.C., on Dec. 11, 1967, Jung Hong Yin, aged 77 years, born in China and a resident of Victoria since 1914.

Funeral services will be held in the Thomson and Irving Funeral Chapel on Thursday, Dec. 14, at 1 p.m. Rev. C. Y. Chow officiating, followed by interment in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

KIER—Juanita Valerie, on Dec. 10, 1967, in her 71st year. Survived by her loving husband, James; 1 sister, Mrs. Myrtle Fleschner, of The Dalles, Oregon; 2 brothers, Roland Booth, of San Francisco, and Eldon Booth, of Los Angeles. Mrs. Kier was a member of the Telephone Pioneers of America, B.C. Chapter No. 33.

Private service was held. Cremation. Arrangements through the Memorial Society of B.C., and First Memorial Services Ltd.

KINSEY—In Victoria, B.C., on Dec. 12, 1967, Mr. Russel James Kinsey, age 51 years. Born in Edmonton, Alberta, and had been a resident of Victoria for the past year, residing at 5217 Sark Road. Survived by his wife, Olive, at home, son Ian, daughter Diana; his mother, Mrs. Kathleen Kinsey, Edmonton, Alberta; brother Harold, Edmonton, Alberta; sisters Mrs. A. (Kathleen) Scheer, Mrs. M. (John) Regesy, Edmonton, Alta., Mrs. E. W. (Claire) North, Surrey, B.C. The late Mr. Kinsey was a Veteran of the Second World War, served with the R.C.O.C. and was a member of The Royal Canadian Legion, Chemainus, B.C.

Prayers will be offered in the Sands Funeral Chapel of Roses, Sidney, B.C., on Friday, Dec. 15, 1967, at 10:30 a.m. Rev. Father William Mudge officiating. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park.

MEYE—In Victoria, B.C., on Dec. 13, 1967, Mrs. Ethel Blanche Meye, aged 85 years, born in London, England, and a resident of Sidney, B.C. for the past 20 years, late residence, 2287 Beacon Ave. She leaves her daughter, Mrs. Rita Morris, 2287 Beacon Ave.; her grandson, Michael, Vancouver, B.C.; brother, Joseph Stevenson, England; and her cousin, Miss Bertha Stevenson, Sidney, B.C. Service will be held in St. Andrew's Anglican Church, Sidney, B.C., on Friday, Dec. 15, 1967, at 1 p.m. Rev. Canon F. C. Vaughan-Birch officiating. Cremation. Arrangements by the Sands Funeral Chapel of Roses, Sidney, B.C.

NIXON—On December 12, 1967, in Victoria, B.C., Mrs. Minnie Beatrice Stephenson Nixon, aged 87 years, late of No. 210 - 130 Douglas Street. Born in York, England and a resident of Victoria for the past 11 years, formerly of Edmonton, Alta. She was predeceased by her husband Alfred Thomas in 1957. Survived by a nephew, Jack Cousens, in Bristol, England.

Funeral services will be held on Friday, December 15, at 10 a.m. in the Thomson & Irving Funeral Chapel, Bishop D. A. G. Rankilor officiating, followed by cremation.

RUDD—On Dec. 10, 1967, in Victoria, Mr. J. Chester Rudd, aged 68 years, of 72 Oswego St., formerly of Fort William and Emo, Ont. He leaves his wife, Alma; 4 sons, Major Lyal Rudd at present in Thailand, Glenn and Willis in Nanaimo, and Len in Port Arthur; 2 daughters, Mrs. G. (Ardell) Wilson, of Fort William, and Mrs. K. (Shirley) Corrigan, in Port Arthur; 13 grandchildren; also 3 sisters, including Mrs. H. Naucler, of Victoria; and 2 brothers.

Funeral services will be held in McCall Bros. FLORAL CHAPEL, Johnson and Vancouver Sts., on Friday, Dec. 15, at 11 a.m. Rev. N. Archer officiating. Interment at Royal Oak Burial Park.

WHITE—In Victoria, B.C., on Dec. 14, 1967, Mrs. Sarah Ann Queen (Queenie) White, aged 86 years, born in East Sooke, B.C., and a life resident of Victoria, B.C., late residence, 1236 Johnson Street. She leaves her loving husband, Bert A. White, well known musician and entertainer, at home; her brother, Tom Cartwright, Victoria, B.C.; nieces and nephews; and great-nieces and nephews. Mrs. White was a life member of Victoria Lodge No. 5, Order of the Royal Purple, of Canada.

Service will be held in the Sands Mortuary Limited, "Memorial Chapel of Chimes," on Monday, Dec. 18, 1967, at 1:00 p.m.

WILSON—Mrs. Ethel Layard Wilson, aged 96 years, passed away Dec. 12, 1967, in Lady Minto Hospital, Ganges. She was a resident of Salt Spring Island for 80 years and predeceased by her husband, Norman, in 1955. She is survived by 3 daughters, Mrs. C. (Lois) Brewsaugh, Mrs. W. (Shirley) Malley, Miss Bryde Wilson, all of Ganges, and 4 grandsons.

Services to be held 1:30 p.m., Friday, Dec. 15, in St. George's Anglican Church, Ganges, Archbishop R. B. Horsefield officiating, followed by cremation at Royal Oak. Gooch man's Funeral Home, Ganges directors.

WONG—In Victoria, B.C., on Dec. 13, 1967, Wong Hong, aged 85 years, born in China, and a resident of Victoria for the past 71 years, late residence, 954 Mason Street. He leaves his wife, Joy, at home; sons and daughters, Mrs. Eylene Chan, Victoria, B.C.; Wesley Wong, Vancouver, B.C.; Mrs. Thomas (Margaret) Ko, Toronto, Ont.; Alfred Wong, Vancouver, B.C.; Mrs. Harry (Evelyne) Lang, Vancouver, B.C.; and Gilbert Worig, Victoria, B.C.; 18 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren. Mr. Wong was the proprietor of the Victoria Barber Shop for 50 years.

Service will be held in the Sands Mortuary Limited, "Memorial Chapel of Chimes," on Monday, Dec. 18, 1967, at 2:30 p.m., Rev. C. Y. Chow officiating. Interment in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

8 CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends and relatives for their kind expressions of sympathy, and the beautiful floral offerings in the loss of a dear husband and father. Thanks to Dr. R. B. Smith for his kindness and understanding during my husband's recent illness. — His loving wife, Florence Turner and family.

9 IN MEMORIAM

RAMSDEN—Charles H., died Dec. 14, 1966.
Nothing can ever take away
The love a heart holds dear
Fond memories linger every day
Remembrance keeps him near.
—Lovingly remembered by his wife, Mary; daughter, Kathleen, and grandson, James.

SMITH—In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Norman E. Smith who passed away Dec. 14, 1966.
Loving and kind in all his ways,
Upright and just, to the end of his days;
Sincere and true, in his heart and mind,
Beautiful memories, he left behind.
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14 ANNOUNCEMENTS

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15 COMING EVENTS AND MEETINGS

VIC WEST SOCCER CLUB BINGO
OUR MAIN CHARITY
RETARDED CHILDREN
Thursday, Dec. 14
7:30 p.m.
Club Tango.
$1 Admission
6 Cards for $2
Now Paying $15 Per Game
2 GAMES $25
1 GAME $50
1 GAME $100
5 Extra Games $30 or More
More Than $500 Cash
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DANCE
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SAANICHTON COMMUNITY CLUB
Xmas 500 Turkey Card Party, Agricultural Hall, Fri., Dec. 15, 8 p.m. Turkey prizes, tombolas, refreshments.

16 PLACES TO VISIT

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20 LOST AND FOUND

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LOST—ARGUS CAMERA. Phone 388-5028.

LOST — LARGE BLUE LIBERTY scarf, downtown, 384-0097.

LOST, LADY'S SMALL WRIST watch, expansion bracelet. 479-4960.

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21 MALE HELP WANTED

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21 MALE HELP WANTED

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OFFICE MANAGER
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26 FEMALE HELP WANTED

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Children's Corner

4:00: Fun-O-Rama, 12; Caspar the Friendly Ghost, 8, 11; Stan Boreson, 5.

4:30: Fun-O-Rama, 12; J. P. Patches, 7; Munsters, 8, 11; Beaver, 4.

5:00: Dennis, 11; Fun-O-Rama, 12; Shazzan, 2.

Sport

6:30: Channel 8: Sports Hot Seat. Canadian Boxing Champion George Chuvalo appears on tonight's show.

11:30: Channel 2: Sports Final.

Headliners

8:00: Channels 2, 6: Bob Hope. Another hour of the Hope humor with guests Don Adams and Ernest Borgnine, as Bob makes fun of his son's recent wedding and the recent wedding of the Presidnet's daughter.

10:00: Channel 2: Their Roots Are Deep. Film crews spent two years in the making of this documentary about Canada's agricultural history and the people that helped settle the land.

Tonight's Movies

5:30: Channel 12: Raton Pass (1951). Patricia Neal, Dennis Morgan.

6:00: Channel 7: Rage At Dawn (1955). Randolph Scott, Mala Powers.

7:00: Channel 11: So This Is Love (1953). Kathryn Grayson, Merv Griffin.

8:30: Channel 12: The Honeymoon Machine (1961). Steve McQueen, Paula Prentis.

9:00: Channel 7: Party Girl (1958). Robert Taylor, Cyd Charisse.

11:00: Channel 13: Straight Place And Show (1938). Ritz Brothers.

11:30: Channel 7: Fraulein (1958). Dana Wynter, Mel Ferrer.

11:30: Channel 12: The Black Lancers (1961). Mel Ferrer, Yvonne Furneaux.

11:40: Channels 6, 8: Paper Gallows (1950). Dermot Walsh, Roma Anderson.

11:45: Channel 2: A Matter Of Choice (1959). Anthony Steele, Jeanne Moody.

1:05: Channel 5: The Miami Story (1954). Barry Sullivan, Luther Adler.

1:30: Channel 13: Circumstantial Evidence (1945). Lloyd Nolan, Michael O'Shea, Trudy Marshall.

Tonight's Programs

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Skiscene Home Edition	News News	Huntley-Brinkley Early Edition	News 2nd 100 Years	6:00 6:30	Movie Movie	News Sports Hotseat	Gilligan Hazel	Movie Walter Cronkite
7 o'Clock Show Accid. Family	Outdoor Sports Batman	Ski Nanny Daniel Boone	Garrison's Gorillas	7:00 7:30	Movie Cimmaron Strip	Flying Nun Star Trek	Movie Movie	Movie Carol Burnett
Bob Hope Bob Hope	Flying Nun Bewitched	Daniel Boone Bob Hope	Bob Hope Bob Hope	8:00 8:30	Cimmaron Strip Cimmaron Strip	Star Trek It's Happening	Movie Movie	Carol Burnett Movie
Man from U.N.C.L.E.	That Girl Peyton Place	Bob Hope Dragnet	Man from U.N.C.L.E.	9:00 9:30	Movie Movie	Dean Martin Dean Martin	Merv Griffin Merv Griffin	Movie Movie
Their Roots Are Deep	Good Company Spectrum	Dean Martin Show	Peyton Place Peyton Place	10:00 10:30	Movie Movie	Mannix Mannix	Merv Griffin News	Movie Mannix
News, Viewp't, Sports; Movie	News, Sports Joey Bishop	World Today Tonight Show	CBC News News; Late Show	11:00 11:30	News Movie	News News, Movie	Ski Breed Bat Masterson	Mannix Movie
Movie Movie	Joey Bishop Joey Bishop	Tonight Show Tonight Show	Late Show Late Show	12:00 12:30	Movie Movie	Movie Movie	News	Movie Movie

Early Friday Programs

CBUT Vancouver Channel 2	KOMO-TV Seattle Channel 4	KING-TV Seattle Channel 5	CHEK-TV Victoria Channel 6		KIRO-TV Seattle Channel 7	CHAN-TV Vancouver Channel 8	KTNT-TV Tacoma Channel 11	KVOS-TV Bellingham Channel 12
	Movie (8:45) "Running	Snap Judgment Concentration	Mr. and Mrs. Ed Allen	9:00 9:30	News Hillbillies	Mr. and Mrs. Ed Allen		Frisky Frolics Hillbillies
B.C. School Giant; Helene	Target" Family Game	Personality Hollywd Squares	B.C. School Giant; Helene	10:00 10:30	Andy Griffith Dick Van Dyke	Jean Cannem Jean Cannem	Farm; News	Andy Griffith Dick van Dyke
Mr. Dressup Pick of Week	Temptation Mother-in-Law	Jeopardy Eye Guess	Pipeline Pipeline	11:00 11:30	Love of Life Search; Light	Pipeline Pipeline	Romper Room Romper Room	Love Life Merv Griffin
Luncheon Date Search; Light	Everybody's T. Donna Reed	Newsbeat Wunda Wunda	Noon Show Movie:	12:00 12:30	Password World Turns	News; Santa Movie:	Movie: "King	Merv Griffin Merv Griffin
Coronation St. World Turns	Fugitive Fugitive	Doctors Another World	"Once Upon a	1:00 1:30	Serial Houseparty	"Once Upon a	on Horseback"	Serial House Party
Splendored T. About Town	Newly Wed Dream Girl	You Don't Say Match Game	Horse" Conflict	2:00 2:30	Tell the Truth Edge of Night	Horse" Conflict	Girl Talk Divorce Court	Tell the Truth Secret Storm
Take 30 Edge of Night	General Hospital Dark Shadows	Make a Deal Truth or Conseq.	Take 30 Edge of Night	3:00 3:30	Secret Storm Perry Mason	Magis. Court Your Move	Highway Patrol Gigantor	Mike Douglas Mike Douglas
B. Prudden Barney Boomer	Dating Game Beaver	Stan Boreson Mike Douglas	Bonnie Prudden Barney Boomer	4:00 4:30	Perry Mason J. P. Patches	Dennis Flintstones	Uncle Waldo Munsters	Fun-O-Rama Fun-O-Rama
Shazzan Let's Go	Mr. Ed News	Mike Douglas Mike Douglas	Voyage Voyage	5:00 5:30	Patches; News Walter Cronkite	Voyage Voyage	Dennis Flintstones	Fun-O-Rama Movie

Main Items on Radio Stations

AM Stations—Victoria: CJVI, 900; CFAX, 1070; CKDA, 1220; Vancouver: CJOR, 600; CBU, 690; CKNW, 980; CKWX, 1130; CHQM, 1320; CFUN, 1410. Seattle: KIRO, 710; KOMO, 1000; KING, 1090; Bellingham: KARI, 550.

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TONIGHT'S RADIO HIGHLIGHTS

6:30: CBU: Side By Side. Featuring the Doug Parker Trio.
7:03: CBU: Bright Lights. A mostalgic look back at some of our centennial year's music.
8:30: CBU: CBC Centenary Concerts.
11:03: CBU: CBC Winnipeg Orchestra.

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'TOWN FOOL' PUT TO WORK IN THE BUSH

VANCOUVER (CP)—Joachim Foikis, Vancouver's self-appointed town fool, went to work for the city parks department Wednesday—in a hand-painted city-owned fool's suit.

Foikis, a familiar sight outside the Vancouver court house where he dispenses witticisms, limericks and philosophical odds and ends for free, was collared for more or less permanent employment by the city's social welfare department.

He has been on welfare for two weeks. Under a department program, all physically fit welfare recipients are offered work. Foikis will spend his time clearing park bush trails.

Prior to reporting for duty, he painted his hard hat and rubber rain clothing isssued by the city a bright red and blue—his "town fool colors."

Constantine Fourth Ruler Ousted by Military Coup

By ANDREW TORCHIA
Associated Press Staff Writer

The Greek monarchy was born 137 years ago when the leading powers of Europe created it and made a foreigner king. For 15 of the years since, the monarch was abolished, and King Constantine II is the fourth ruler to be ousted by a military coup.

Except for the first king, a Bavarian, all the Greek monarchs have been descendants of the Danish royal family. Constantine's wife, Anne-Marie, was a Danish princess before marriage.

Constantine and his family fled to Rome today, and the military dictatorship which took over Greece last April 21 named Lt.-Gen. George Zoitakis regent, the title usually given to someone who rules for an incapacitated monarch or for a minor until he is of age to assume the throne.

The junta's appointment of a regent could mean it ostensibly is holding the throne for Constantine's seven-months-old son, Crown Prince Paul.

The Greek monarchy was launchad in 1830 when the Ottoman Turks were ousted from Greece and the country became a protectorate of European powers.

BAVARIAN REIGNS

The powers installed Otho, a young Bavarian prince, as king. An army coup in 1862 removed him and civil war followed. In a plebiscite, the Greeks chose Prince Alfred, a son of Queen Victoria of Britain, as their next king. But Russia and France objected, and young Prince William of Denmark was made King George I of Greece in 1863.

King George reigned for nearly 50 years until his assassination in 1913—the longest period of stability the monarchy has known. Constantine I, his son and a victorious general in a Balkan war the year before, succeeded him.

Public opposition to his pro-German views forced Constantine I to abdicate during the First World War. A son, Alexander, was crowned but lived only three more years.

Constantine returned as king after a plebiscite, but a disastrous military campaign against Turkey led to an army coup that ousted him and raised George II, another son, to the throne.

COUP CREATES REPURLIC

Still another coup followed. Plebiscites in 1924 and 1935 created and ended a Greek republic. Then George II returned, this time with rightist Gen. John Metaxas as his supporter and strongman.

Mextaxas died fighting the Germans in the Second World War and the king went into exile. Resistance to the Nazis was left largely to Communists and other anti-monarchist groups.

After the war, sentiment against the return of King George grew among Greek leftists. Then a four-year civil war with the Communists broke out. In a plebiscite from which the Communists abstained, King George was invited back to the throne for the third time.

He died in 1947 and his brother Paul became king. Paul and Queen Frederika, a German princess who as queen mother still is disliked by some Greeks, survived a clash with Premier Constantine Caramanlis in 1963 over a royal trip to Britain. Caramanlis resigned when the king refused to cancel the visit because of demonstrations by Greek exiles.

A year later, Paul died after an operation for a stomach ulcer. His 23-year-old son, Constantine II, became the world's youngest reigning monarch.

EVENTS LEADING TO COUNTERCOUP

By United Press International

Here is a diary of significant events in Greece leading up to Wednesday's countercoup against the military junta which seized power last April 21:

—June 25, 1965: Prime Minister George Papandreou resigned after King Constantine refuses to allow him to fire Defence Minister Petros Garoufalias and assume the post himself. Speculation grows that Papandreou made the bid to protect his U.S.-educated son, Andreas, from prosecution in connetion with the left-wing "ASPIDA" officers' plot against Constantine.

—April 21, 1967: Military seizes power after succession of weak governments fail to pull nation's splintered political factions together. General election had been scheduled for May 28.

—Sept. 11: During North American visit, King Constantine tells group of U.S. senators "it's not my government."

—Sept. 27: Panayotis Kanellopoulos, prime minister at the time of the April coup, denounces regime as authoritarian and calls for political freedom.

—Oct. 2: Junta places Kanellopoulos under arrest.

—Oct. 18: Government puts 38 young Greeks on trial for alleged crimes said to be part of a communist conspiracy against the regime.

—Oct. 20: Junta gives pledge of restoration of constitutional order. Deadline for restoration conspiciously absent.

—Oct. 30: Ministers of labor, public works, industry and justice resign. All were civilians. King and Junta battle behind scenes over whether military men or civilians should replace them.

—Nov. 3: Prime Minister Kollias takes oath of office as interim foreign minister as controversy grows between him and Junta.

—Nov. 15: Greek Cypriot forces killed 26 Turkish Cypriots in village fighting in Cyprus, touching off weeks of crisis over the disputed island. By week's end Greece and Turkey have mobilized and are staring down their gunbarrels at each other along the Greaco-Turkish frontier.

Meanwhile, 32 alleged members of Antiregime "Patriotic Front" including "Zorba the Greek" composer Mikis Theodorakis, go on trial. Theodorakis, under medical treatment, unable to appear. He was to face later trial.

—Nov. 29: After nearly two weeks of mediation by United Nations, United States, and other diplomatic envoys, Greece and Turkey reported in agreement on package of terms to end Cyprus crisis. Terms generally a blow to Greek prestige, including withdrawal of 9,000 Greek troops illegally on Cyprus.

—Dec. 10, the royal couple went to Larisa to observe military manoeuvres, putting the king on the scene for a counter-revolution.

—Dec. 13: King leads a revolt and appeals for people to help "restore democracy."

—Dec. 14: Constantine flies to Rome with his family and the military Junta announces his revolt is smashed.

CUTTER NEARS CRIPPLED SHIP

JUNEAU, Alaska (AP)—The United States Coast Guard cutter Storis, from Kodiak, was expected to reach the crippled 492-foot American freighter Steel Flyer in the North Pacific today.

The ship, owned by the Isthmian Lines, New York, and carrying a crew of 45, radioed Tuesday she lost her rudder and rudder post.

The 'Thing' May Be Russian Sub

HMCS Qu'Appelle docked in Esquimalt dockyard at 8 a.m. today after a classified assignment in water where Russian trawlers have been recently observed.

The destroyer-escort returned from a five-day patrol about 24 hours after HMCS Saskatchewan was sent out on a mission of similar secrecy.

Some unofficial naval spokesmen said Saskatchewan had relieved Qu'Appelle on the same mission.

Officially the navy has said little. But Rear Admiral J. A. Charles was to address a press conference this afternoon on the nature of the mission.

A check with navy, air force and coast guard officials at U.S. Pacific Northwest bases today also revealed little of an official nature.

But it was reported that extensive anti-submarine patrols are now being maintained by the U.S. Navy at present all along the coast, as far north as the Aleutians where a major anti-sub operation is centred at Adak.

Reports Unfounded

OTTAWA (CP)—A series of reports claiming importers have broken the embargo against Rhodesian products have all been unfounded, Prime Minister Pearson told the Commons Wednesday. He said revenue department officials now are investigating new reports that tobacco and other products are coming in despite the ban.

. . . DECISION NO SURPRISE

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only increase current instability at a critical moment in national life.

Both he and Attorney-General Robert Bonner suggested that this week's federal-provincial housing conference fiasco was the final straw that led to Mr. Pearson's decision.

Shortest comment came from Recreation and Conservation Minister Kenneth Kiernan who said: "I guess he got fed up with the whole cotton-picking situation."

NO EFFECT HERE

Mr. Bennett, in a telephone interview from Vancouver, told The Times the announcement would not affect B.C. government relations with Ottawa in any way and would not change his posture at February's constitutional conference called by Mr. Pearson.

"He's just resigning as Liberal leader. That's a Liberal party problem and I don't wish to interfere in their party affairs," Mr. Bennett said.

"If he was resigning as prime minister, I would have something to say but he's not and he's also said he's not going to take any part in the (inevitable Liberal leadership) convention.

"He's the prime minister of our country and resigning as Liberal leader doesn't change that.

"I'm not surprised by the announcement because the same thing that happened to the Conservative cabinet (under John Diefenbaker) is happening in the Liberal party.

"There isn't any feuding, it's just intra-party seeking of position—after all, he's had to call the boys (cabinet ministers) back a couple of times to their desks, hasn't he?"

NO PREDICTIONS

Mr. Bennett declined to say who he thought would succeed Mr. Pearson as party leader.

Mr. Strachan said Mr. Pearson was still an active political figure in Canada and I have not intention to make any comment on his political contribution to the country until he is no longer prime minister.

"The fact that there now will be a Liberal convention is entirely an internal matter.

"But it is my opinion that when that Liberal convention is held, it would be a service to Canada if, instead of selecting a new leader, the delegates decided to dissolve themselves as a political party and make way for the New Democratic Party as a progressive force in the government of our country."

Mr. Bonner, in Vancouver, said there was obvious trouble within the ranks of the federal cabinet because there had been conflicting ministerial statements on the current economic situation.

FUTILE EXERCISE

He described the recent national housing conference as an exercise in futility and said this may have been the final blow to Mr. Pearson.

Mr. Williston, interviewed here, also suggested the housing conference as the reason precipitating the decision.

"It may have been the decision that a committee will look after housing, rather than direct action," Mr. Williston said in a brief corridor interview.

Mr. Williston said the prime minister has been giving indications for some time that he would resign, but the timing seems inopportune.

"Generally you get the ship on an even keel before (resigning)," Mr. Williston said.

'I can't see where it (the resignation) lends to stability at a time like this, but he must have his reasons and we have to accept them."

Mr. Williston said Mr. Pearson "is the most experienced man at the moment.

"Until a successor is chosen nobody knows who to look to and in a critical period like this it could be any number of men."

Mr. Williston mentioned the current world situation, and then said "the last thing we need at the moment is a leadership fight forgetting the best interests of Canada."

Youth Jailed For Attack On Teacher

WINNIPEG (CP) — Donald Paul Letendre, 16, of Winnipeg was sentenced to nine months in jail Wednesday for his part in beating a school teacher during a class at General Wolfe School.

Letendre pleaded guilty to the charge which was laid after two youths entered a classroom Oct. 11 and assaulted teacher Max Pronin. Court was told Letendre pinned the teacher's arms while his companion hit Mr. Pronin in the face and stomach.

A 17-year-old youth is in the custody of juvenile authorities.

Thirty students watched the assault.

In passing sentence, Magistrate Isaac Rice said: "This boy and hundreds of his type have no supervision by a father. I can't punish the father and he is actually the one who should be punished."

The magistrate also suggested teachers are too lax in disciplining students.

"Maybe they should revert to the strap and get away from this cream puff society we've got right now."

Meteor Show Reached Peak On Wednesday

A shower of meteors radiating from the Gemini constellation reached its peak at 5 p.m. Wednesday.

The Geminids shower is an annual occurrence caused when the earth passes through a swarm of small particles around the sun.

The particles enter the earth's atmosphere. Sometimes the streaks they make are quite long and can be seen by the naked eye.

But the full moon makes viewing more difficult because the bright sky makes it harder to distinguish them.

Astronomer Frank Young of the Dominion Astrophysical Laboratory says they are called the Geminids meteor shower because they appear to originate from the direction of the Gemini constellation.

"But in actual fact they have nothing to do with the stars in that consellation," says Mr. Young.

"The shower is interesting because it gives astronomers an idea of the amount of material around the sun, but it has no unusual significance."

Tot Drowns in Tank

LANGLEY, B.C. (CP)—Marvin Chubey, three, drowned Tuesday night when he fell into a greenhouse septic tank near his home. He was found by a search party in this Fraser Valley town.

4 Scouts Get Queen's Badges In Same Troop

Belmont Park district's 7th Juan de Fuca scout troop has earned an unusual honor—four troop members received their Queen's Scout badges at the same time.

The four boys were presented with the awards before 250 persons at a group banquet Sunday. To make the occasion complete, the troop and group committee chipped in to present them with Queen's Scout rings as well.

Gerald George, 15, received the Red and White Cord (for earning 12 proficiency badges) in addition to scouting's highest award at the ceremony.

The other badges were presented to Vern Cornish, recently moved to Esquimalt, and brothers Kerry, 14, and Dean Williams, 16, of 256 Zealous.

Two of the boys have since moved up in scouting, with Gerald going to a Venturer's group and Dean joining a Rover crew in the Belmont Park area.

New flags for the local Venturer's group and Rover crew were also dedicated at the banquet.

Man Fined $350 As Impaired

George Ferguson, 41, of 3708 Tillicum, was fined $350 in central court today when he pleaded guilty to impaired driving.

Ferguson was arrested at 3:15 a.m. today after police observed the car he was driving weaving slowly along Yates St.

The accused told the court he had only "a few drinks" but that he worked all night the previous night and then straight through the day and was short of sleep.

Clock Reward For Work With CNIB

A former Saskatchewan resident living in Victoria was presented Tuesday with a braile clock in recognition of his 31 years of service for the Canadian National Institute for the Blind.

Oliver Burton, 999 Haywood Way, received the gift at a luncheon in his honor hosted by Douglas Abbott, chairman of the Victoria branch of the CNIB, at the Victoria Golf Club.

A present of the Saskatchewan Divsion, the clock was presented by R. C. Purse, superintendant of the B.C.-Yukon Division, CNIB.

Mr. Burton had worked for the blind and the prevention of blindness for 31 years in the prairie province before moving to Victoria in September.

In 1936 he joined the advisory board of the South Saskatchewan district. He was nominated to the board of management in 1961.

He became one of the four Saskatchewan representatives to the national council of the CNIB in 1962.

During his years of service, Mr. Burton served as chairman of the placement committee in charge of canteens and as chairman of the building committee for maintaining the Institute's service centre in the South Saskatchewan region.

He was also active in assisting with the annual picnic for the blind, and played Santa Clause at Christmas dinners for many years.

In addition to his CNIB work, Mr. Burton has been active with Lion's club work and the Canadian Cancer Society.

WITH BOB HOPE

Raquel to Vietnam To Meet Admirers

By GENE HANDSAKER

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Bob Hope leaves Friday for Vietnam with another Christmas cargo of laughs and lovelies including eye-filling Raquel Welch, 37-22½-35½.

It will be the comedian's fourth Vietnam visit and 17th annual Christmas tour but the first trouping for troops anywhere by the 26-year-old Miss Welch, who is being called the new love goddess of the movies.

Miss Welch, who has graced hundreds of magazines—but has refused offers of up to $35,000 to pose nude because "I'd just be very embarrassed"—leaves with a pre-sold audience.

POPULAR PIN-UP

Her pin-up pictures—especially one of her standing provocatively in a Stone Age doeskin bikini in One Million Years BC—adorn many barrack walls and lockers. Another favorite shows her in bead-jangling mini-attire for Bedazzled.

Miss Welch has autographed poster-size photos at the request of troop units who have elected her their mascot. The U.S. and overseas demand became so costly that 20th Century-Fox now answers it with photo postcards.

Miss Welch is a Chicago-born product of San Diego area schooling. In childhood she was nicknamed "Bird Legs" for her skinny build. Then she rounded out and started winning beauty contests.

RAQUEL WELCH
. . . troops' favorite

Of French-Spanish-German-English-Scottish descent, she stands five-foot-six, weights 118 pounds and has large deep-brown eyes. Her luxuriant chestnut-brown hair falls to her bosom.

In 1965, she got the leading role in Fantastic Voyage. Since then she has starred in eight movies, seven of them in Europe.

Sexy-looking even in voluminous homespuns for Bandolero!—a Western with James Stewart and Dean Martin—Miss Welch reported she'd spent a weekend in bed "a total ache from head to foot" from immunization shots in preparation for Vietnam.

THE PM RESIGNING?? OH, THE OTTAWA PM!

Sometimes social climbing boomerangs and it did today for the British Columbia cabinet.

At least one minister went white and limp when asked bluntly: "Have you any comment on the prime minister's sudden announcement he is resigning?"

Resources Minister Ray Williston recovered from his obviously traumatic shock when the reporter added finally: "theirs—not ours."

"You had me floored," he admitted with relief.

"I knew I was acting minister of finance but I didn't know I had hold of this."

Mr. Williston and other ministers have prominently displayed their cabinet solidarity in recent weeks by referring to Premier Benentt as "the prime minister".

Senate Rebuffs Student Bid

University of Victoria students have been stalled in their latest move to gain a voice in university policy matters.

The university senate Wednesday rejected a resolution which would have endorsed the principle of student membership in the group.

The 28-man body makes most academic decisions, ranking second to the board of governors which sets financial policy.

Uvic students have been asking for representation on the senate for over a year. The University of Victoria is the only campus in B.C. where students do not sit on the senate.

David McLean, president of the students' council, who with council vice-president Frank Frketich made the presentation, said the senate refused to consider the resolution.

Members felt it was improper to influence in any way the committee on university government which is formulating recommendations on changing the university's decision-making structure, said Mr. McLean.

AWAIT OUTCOME

And the committee is awaiting the outcome of an investigation into last spring's student-faculty unrest over the dismissal of three faculty members.

Senior faculty men have expressed support for student senators recently but the narrow defeat of a similar motion by the faculty association last June indicates there is still considerable opposition on campus.

The move would be in line with recommendations made in the Duff-Berdahl report on Canadian university government. Published in March of 1966, it said unhealthy tensions in many university would grow worse unless sweeping changes were made.

Among other things, it proposed a student role in decision-making including representation on senates.

Five Canadian universities now have students on their senates and seven others have announced their senates will be opened to students.

Ferry Service Assurances Welcomed

Two civic leaders along the Haida Route came away from a 90-minute interview with Premier Bennett Wednesday convinced he meant it when he announced the Queen of Prince Rupert will be returned to service permanently March 28.

Prince Rupert Mayor Peter Lester and Campbell River Reeve Kenneth McDonald met with the premier after arriving for an appointment with B.C. Ferry Authority general manager Monty Aldous.

"We were two innocent people from Campbell River and Prince Rupert down here to ask a simple question: what's going to happen to our ferry service?" said Mayor Lester

"We got the answer and now we're going back with joy in our hearts."

But he added he was reserving judgment on the premier's assurances that the ferry would remain on the run the year-round except for annual refits of up to two months each winter.

"I'm satisfied the premier is sincere and the service will be re-instituted on a permanent basis," said Reeve McDonald.

'King Will Call If He Wants Me'

PARIS (UPI)—Former Greek Defence Minister Petros Garoufalias appeared to be taken by surprise today at reports the failed counter-coup in Greece had named him to head a government.

Garoufalias said he had "no contact" with King Constantine after leaving Athens on vacation Nov. 25.

"If the king wants me, he will call me," Garoufalias said. "It is not up to me to contact him."

He would not comment on the coup attempt or Constantine's flight to Rome. He said he was seeking further information on the situation.

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Sealed tenders, clearly identified as to number will be received by the Municipal Clerk, Saanich Municipal Hall, 770 Vernon Avenue, Victoria, B.C., up to 12:00 noon January 4, 1968, for the supply of Petroleum products for 1968.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ALFRED EDWARDS, DECEASED, late of 860 Wollaston Street, Esquimalt, British Columbia.

All persons having claims against the above estate are required to send full particulars of such claims to the undersigned Administrator at P.O. Box 961, Victoria, British Columbia, on or before the 11th day of January, A.D. 1968, after which date the estate's assets will be distributed, having regard only to the claims that have then been received.

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By his solicitors,
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By KATHRINE THOMAS

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This original composition by a child in Grade 1 is part of an experimental reading program being tested in Cedar Hill School.

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"The child begins to realize that reading is thinking and not just word recognition. He also becomes interested in other people's thoughts as well as his own."

Mrs. Graham has 23 children in the class and they are all already capable of reading and spelling, in varying degrees.

A teacher of a regular grade one class for five years, she can already see a change in her pupils' attitudes to reading.

"They are happy. Reading isn't a task, something difficult; it seems to come quite naturally. They have a greater desire to read because their reading material is based on their own imaginative experience.

"Also the language isn't foreign; it's written in their own speech patterns. In the regular readers, the sentence structure is too constricted.

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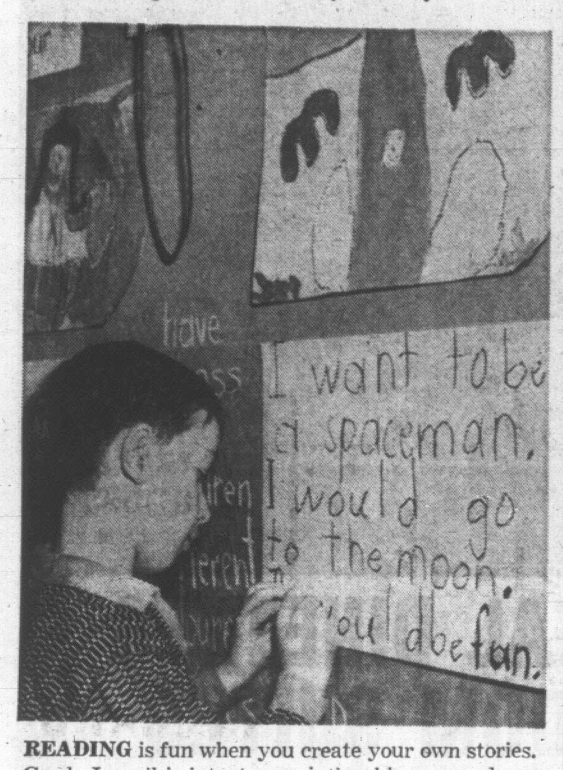
As they become more and more familiar with words, they print their own stories and only come to Mrs. Graham for the spelling of difficult words.

Another aim of the program is to have words easily available to the children. Mrs. Graham has made lists of core words for each child whenever a new word comes up incidentally, she stresses it and makes sure it is used in other situations.

There are also charts at the back of the room with words grouped around a specific subject—words already contributed by the children in discussion. So if a child wants to write a story about a monkey, he has only to find the chart with the "monkey" words.

WRITING your own stories is a great way to learn how to use words when you are in Grade I and it's always nice to have your teacher, Mrs. Olga Graham, ready to help out with spelling difficulties.



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Jovial Castro At Reception For Churchman

HAVANA (Reuters) — In what was believed to be an unprecedented gesture by the head of a Communist regime, Premier Fidel Castro Wednesday night attended a reception in honor of the papal charge d'affaires in Cuba.

The reception was given in the Vatican embassy to mark the elevation to bishop of Most Rev. Cesare Zacchi, charge d'affaires here since 1962.

Personal relations between Castro and Msgr. Zacchi, who was consecrated titular bishop of Zelli in the cathedral here Tuesday, are known to be good.

Castro spent 2¾ hours talking and joking with Msgr. Zacchi, other prelates and heads of diplomatic missions in a relaxed and jovial atmosphere.

At one point Msgr. Emanuele Clarazio, apostolic delegate in Canada who came to Havana to consecrate Msgr. Zacchi, took off his skull cap, and holding it on Castro's head joked: "You will be the next apostolic nuncio here."

Everybody roared with laughter, including Castro.

After some trouble in the early days of the revolution, there has been little friction between Castro's government and the Roman Catholic church here.

Judge Rules Woman Not Legal Atheist

LOS ANGELES (AP) — A German-born woman who says she is an atheist will be granted U.S. citizenship because a judge has ruled that, under the law, she isn't an atheist.

U.S. District Judge Warren J. Ferguson ordered the government Wednesday to administer the oath of allegiance required for naturalization to Mrs. Ella Kube Nomland, 53.

Mrs. Nomland has been a research associate at Occidental College for 15 years. She testified Tuesday she considers herself an atheist because she doesn't believe in a supreme being.

"Dr. Nomland's belief in an ordered universe, one that was created by any human beings or animals, qualifies as religion," the judge said. "That's the same as believing in a supreme being."

Ferguson's ruling avoided another issue raised by American Civil Liberties Union lawyers for Mrs. Nomland. They argued that the oath of allegiance of naturalized citizens, with the mention of belief in a supreme being, is a religious oath and violates the constitutional guarantee of freedom of religion.

CANADA SUED BY IMMIGRANT

WINNIPEG (CP)—Frederick H. J. Blake, an immigrant structural engineer from Britain, is suing the Canadian government for $5,687 because he says he found Canada to be a land of false promise. His petition to the Exchequer Court in Ottawa claims the amount on grounds he was not warned his professional credentials were not transportable when he was interviewed in an immigration office in England.

STAMP APPROVED

The Israeli cabinet has approved a postage stamp with a picture of the late Moshe Sharett, Israeli's first foreign minister, on it.

VOICE OF WOMEN'S BRIEF

Don't Renew NORAD Defence Pact, Ottawa Urged

SENT TO ALL MPs

The Victoria branch of the Voice of Women said today it is "gravely concerned" Canada will again become a partner in the North American Air Defence pact (NORAD) "without the full knowledge of the Parliament or the public."

The group has sent a brief, Canada and NORAD, to External Affairs Minister Martin, Defence Minister Cadieux and all MPs.

It states that "in view of the multi-billion dollars to be spent by the U.S. to build anti-ballistic missile systems around a few of her cities, Voice of Women feel it would be disastrous financially for Canada to continue with the agreement," said local secretary Valerie MacDermot.

"The brief further states that the hope that NORAD would result in considerable expansion of research and development in aeronautics and electronics in our country has not taken place," she said.

"Instead, Canada has become more dependent than ever on the U.S. and our debt to them has increased. Though the U.S. paid on a per capita basis for the DEW line and the runway installations they will not pay 90 per cent of the cost of defending Canadian cities."

She also said Canada's priorities should be better housing and better health protection, "not dangerous and overwhelmingly expensive arms."

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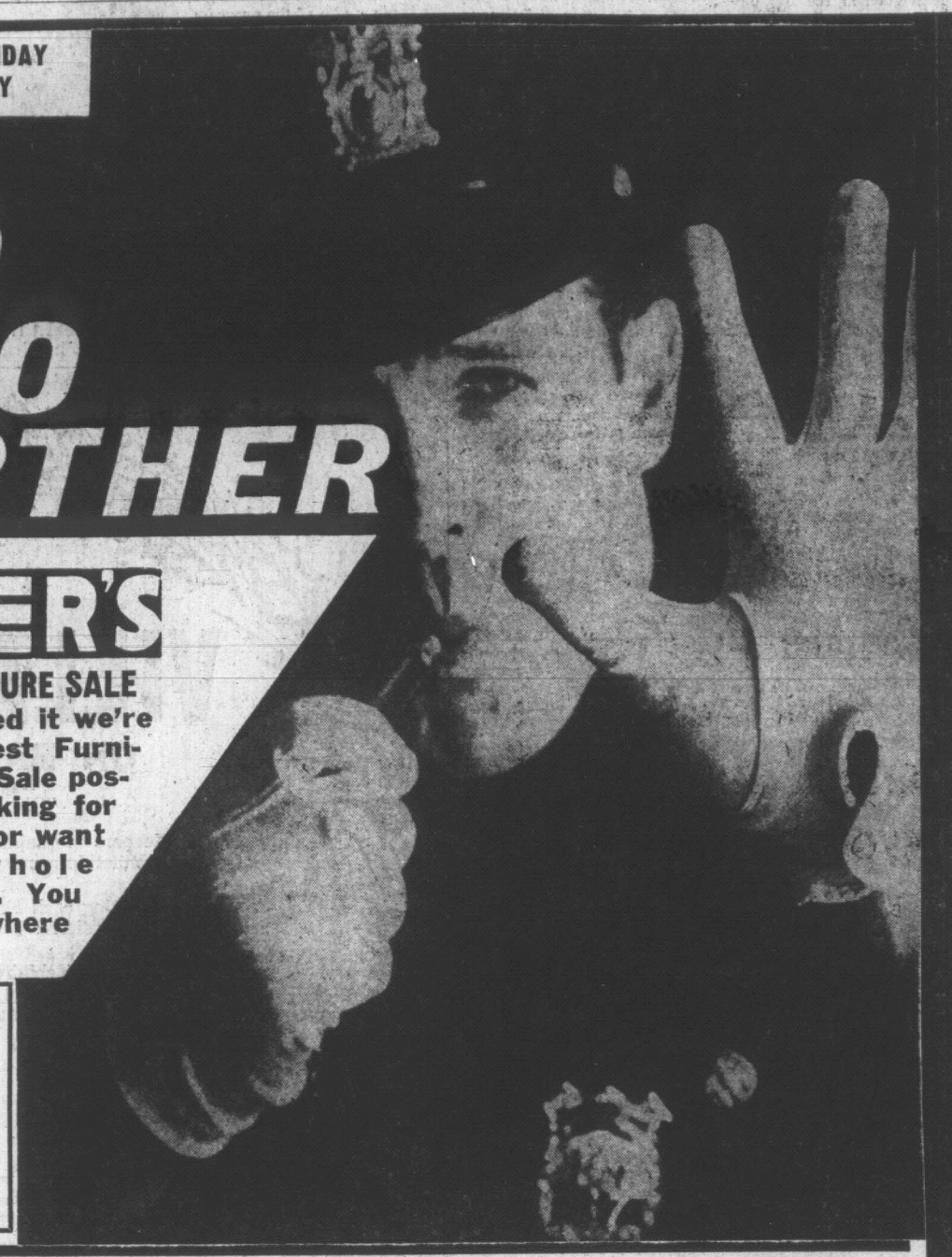

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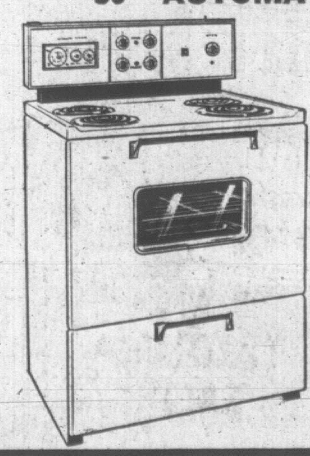

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FROM the TORONTO WEEKLY MAIL of SEPT. 18, 1884

HAMILTON'S *famous* "BOY SOLDIER"

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IN THE YEAR 1812, the U.S.A. HAD INVADED BRITISH NORTH AMERICA AND WERE BESIEGING YORK (NOW TORONTO). YOUNG MacNAB WAS 14 AT THE TIME BUT HE FOUGHT VALIANTLY WITH THE DEFENDING FORCES.

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DIAMOND BIG AS A GOOSE EGG

Crown Jewels His for a Day And He Really Cleans Up

By GRANVILLE WATTS

LONDON (AP) — "It's a tricky business," said the man who cleans Britain's crown jewels.

"You wouldn't want diamonds dropping out on the floor, would you?" William Summers gets enthusiastic when he talks about the royal treasure.

"There's one diamond as big as a goose egg," Summers said. "It came from the famous South African Cullinan diamond, weighs 530 carats and is fitted in the royal sceptre."

Summers, 37, turns up once a year at the heavily-guarded crown jewel room in the ancient Tower of London to clean the sparklers.

He has a staff of five to help him clean up the assorted crowns, diadems, orbs, sceptres, golden staffs, rods, rings and heavy gold plate.

"You cannot put a value on the crown jewels. They are priceless. The jewels aren't insured. I doubt whether anyone could underwrite them, since no one knows their value.

"But there is a clue. One stone, the Koh-i-Noor diamond, was reckoned to be worth $5,600,000 when it was presented to Queen Victoria. That was in 1850.

"Legend traces it back some 4,000 years.

"The diamond now is in the front of the Queen Mother's crown. It is always worn by women. It has a reputation of bringing death and bad luck to men. It's 108.9 carats, which is a pretty big diamond.

SPARKLES WITH STONES

"The present crown of state worn by Queen Elizabeth II is a fine frame of gold and silver set with 3,000 precious stones, mainly diamonds and pearls.

"The most conspicuous stone is the great ruby given to the Black Prince in the 14th century, and which adorned the helmet crown of Henry V at Agincourt," Summers added.

Both parents of Summers and numerous relatives are doctors, but he decided against medicine and joined the crown jewellers, Garrard and Company, in London's West End in 1950. He was appointed crown jeweller in 1962 on the death of the previous office holder, Cecil Mann.

Besides advising on the royal collection, he is concerned with the manufacture and upkeep of the orders of chivalry.

"For instance, the Orders of the Garter insignia are sent back to us for cleaning when a knight dies," Summers said.

"They are then passed along to the next appointee."

Apart from his visits to the Tower, Summers is present in the background of all state functions when the state crown and other jewels are brought out.

How does Summers feel handling the world's greatest jewel collection?

"You get used to it," he said. "After all, one is aware of the historical aspect of these pieces."

CROSSWORD - - - *By Eugene Sheffer*

HORIZONTAL
1. Lose color
5. Resort
8. At a distance
12. Eager
13. Spanish hero
14. Observe
15. Rant
16. Breathes
18. Mountaineer
20. Catkin
21. Tugboat
22. Chinese pagoda
23. Initial
26. In better season
30. Poem
31. Footed vase
32. Wartime agency
33. Irene or Diana
36. Russian president
38. Netherlands commune
39. Proscribe
40. Drudge
43. A Moslem
47. Afternoon performances
49. Stir
50. Shield
51. Biblical name
52. Fencing sword
53. Being
54. Varnish ingredient
55. Afford

VERTICAL
1. Game of chance
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3. Pigeon
4. Excretes
5. A spiral
6. Desserts
7. Paid notices
8. Beast
9. Golf cry
10. Solar disk
11. Repose
17. TV personality
19. Toddler
22. Light brown
23. Haze
24. Artificial language
25. Color
26. Bitter vetch
27. Electrified particle
28. Slender finial
29. Operated
31. Employ
34. Contrive
35. Paradise
36. Malay gibbon
37. Glossy paint
39. Fundamental
40. Pintail duck
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43. Antitoxins
44. Contend
45. Equal
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48. Lamprey

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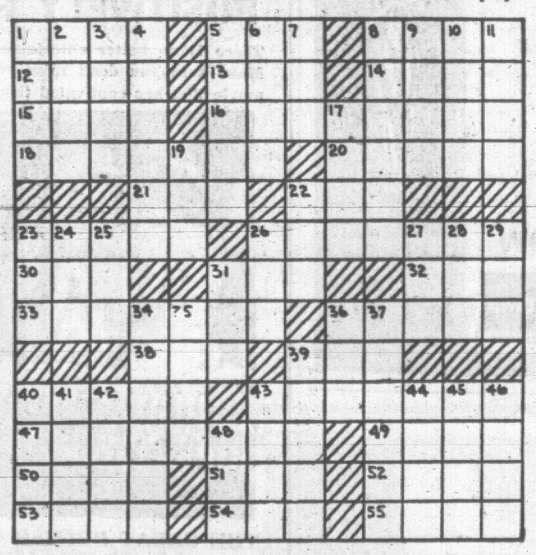

Famed Japanese Hotel Falls Before Wreckers

TOKYO (AP) — Through 44 years, war and quake failed to destroy the Imperial Hotel. Now tough Japanese workmen are doing the job with swift efficiency.

Today the work of architect Frank Lloyd Wright is little more than a hollow shell of broken stone and windowsills.

The three-storey building's 300 rooms will be replaced by a 17-storey building of 1,000 rooms plus banquet halls, parking areas and other more modern facilities.

Even so, there is still an Imperial Hotel. The new wing, next door, operates as if nothing were happening.

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$80 Million Budget

MEXICO CITY (AP)—Organizing committee officials estimate Mexico will spend more than $80,000,000 on the 1968 Olympics here. The chief administrative officer, Enrique Alvarez de Castillo, said anticipated revenue from tickets, concessions and other sources would bring in $32,000,000.

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Andy sends a complete, 20-volume set of the **World Book Encyclopedia** to Sylvia Anderson, age 11, of East Hiram, Maine, for her question:

How do birds fly in the air?

A human being is born to walk upright. This is the first big job every baby must tackle. He gets a bit of help from larger friends and relatives, but most of the effort and the final victory are his by right. In the same natural way, a baby flying bird learns to take to the air.

Naturally, a young toddler does not understand gravity. But he learns to cope with its laws as he learns to stand upright, balance and walk. A baby bird, naturally, cannot understand aerodynamics. But he learns to cope with these laws as he learns to fly. His light body is built for flight and, of course, the heavy human body is not. When we started building flying machines to lift us aloft, we had to master the principles of aerodynamics that the birds have been using for millions of years.

Both birds and plane designers take advantage of certain laws that concern the nature of gases. The basic idea is simple but like many simple basic laws it is fraught with many subtle side effects. The gaseous air surrounds the earth in a thin, invisible blanket somewhat like a filmy, fluid ocean. It is composed of separate molecules of matter. When we walk or move a finger, we shove aside countless airy gas molecules. When air is shoved or squeezed, its molecules pack closer together. The crowded particles of matter make the compressed air a little denser and heavier.

A bird takes advantage of this basic law of aerodynamics when he beats his feathery wings. Each downbeat scoops a pocket of denser air under his light body. It is not thick enough to support him, but it can be used as a cushion to hoist him a step above the ground. Then he flicks his wings up for the next downbeat. He makes the upbeat with his pinion feathers spread apart like outstretched fingers so that the air passes through them. He makes the downbeat with pinion feather closed to scoop together the necessary cushions of denser air.

Use Air Currents

With each beat of his wings, a bird ascends step by step on an invisible ladder through the air. This airy cushion-packing is the basic trick used by all flying birds. But they also take advantage of many variations in the air itself and each type of bird has his own flying style. The breezy winds create light and dense currents. They must flap to lift themselves aloft. Then they find an updraft, spread the wide wings and glide in soaring circles with the rising air pushing from below.

Currents of moving air play a major role in the laws of aerodynamics. The body of a bird is streamlined to create useful air currents as he flies. The bones of his fragile skeleton are hollow and his warm clothing is feathery light. Pockets of air inside his body add extra lifting power. Most of his weight is in the mighty chest and wing muscles needed to lift him aloft. A flying bird must be light. If his weight exceeds about 40 pounds, he cannot use the law of aerodynamics to fly above the ground.

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Andy sends a **World Book Atlas** to Tesa Snyder, age 12, of Des Moines, Iowa, for her question:

Why do certain jets leave smoky white trails?

A jet aircraft is propelled by streams of expanding gases. These gases are left behind as the plane flies on ahead through the air. As a rule, they are much hotter than the gases of the surrounding air. And the surrounding air has a quota of gaseous water vapor of liquid droplets of cloudy mist. The gases streaming from the tail of the jet create conflicts with the air. Sometimes the reactions between different temperatures and moisture produce smoky white trails.

Most of this material is steamy vapor that mingles with the surrounding air and soon disappears. Sometimes it lingers long after the plane has crossed the sky. But some of the material is exhaust gases from the jet engines. This stuff adds impurities to the air and some experts suspect that in large doses it may help to create smog conditions.

Wall Stays Closed

BERLIN (AP)—Time has run out for a formal agreement over wall passes for West Berliners to visit East Berlin this Christmas, West Berlin Mayor Klaus Schuetz said Tuesday. Schuetz told a press conference that West Berlin is ready to talk about passes with East Berlin anytime in the interest of making things easier for people in both parts of the divided city. Past experience showed, he said, that a regular agreement would have had to be implemented by now if there were to be Christmas passes.

SHOWING production assistant Nancy Watt where to put an important finishing touch to one of King Arthur's many costumes is designer John Heath. Anthony Jenkins (right) plays the king in the Bastion production of Camelot.

BASTION'S CAMELOT

The Play's the Thing Rather Than Spectacle

The legend of King Arthur and the Knights of the Round Table makes an exciting tale.

And Camelot, Lerner and Lowe's musical version of T. H. White's "The Once and Future King" was a delightful Broadway hit.

Now Camelot is coming to Victoria in a Bastion production at the MacPherson Playhouse, Dec. 26 to Jan. 6.

Director Peter Mannering plans to concentrate on the play and the music rather than the spectacle.

"This approach is going to enhance the story and the music a great deal," he says. "The audience will really get to know the people in the play.

"The story is very whimsical and charming — the more pagentry you add, the more further you move from the play. Lerner and Lowe originally called it a play with music, not a musical comedy.

"They have written particularly fine lyrics. I was really startled when I read them to see how clever they were — how much they revealed of character. It was all missed in the Broadway show."

Mr. Mannering believes the limits imposed by costumes and sets will lead to a much lighter, inventive production.

There will be no set changes — only levels and rises enhanced with colorful banners. More emphasis will be placed on lighting and props.

Mr. Mannering plans to paint the stage with lights and projections of forms on the cyclorama.

The props have all been made from scratch in the Bastion workshop.

TIGHT WATCH

But even with the cross-overs of medieval pagentry cut out, and a tight watch on the budget, costuming for Camelot remains quite a feat.

There are 350 costume pieces — including shoes and hats, and more than 30 principals and chorus to be dressed. But designer John Heath sees it as a welcome challange.

"I've had to take strips of material and donations and had to design around them," he says.

"At times there is not even enough material to make a tunic. But I've solved that problem by making one very short tunic and a longer one with a factory-cotton hidden top. People will say it looks like a big budget production because the actor's wearing two tunics — but we're just faking like mad."

Most of the costumes for Arthur, Lancelot and Guinevere have come from the Bastion wardrobe. But they have been re-designed and recut with a great deal of attention paid to trimmings.

"If I had had a big budget for broacades and velvets I would never have spent so much time on little things like pearls and peading," says Mr. Heath.

Placing the production closer to the proper period, medieval, also helps. The Broadway "Camelot" was set in the Renaissance, a far cry from most conjectures of when the legendary Arthur lived.

'ORNAMENTS' INCLUDED

Self-Growing Yule Tree

PLACERVILLE, Calif. (AP) — A little Christmas tree, pampered for several years, has been sent out into the world to make it on its own.

Developers say the new evergreen—which grows its own "ornaments"—may revolutionize the Christmas-tree industry in four to six years. Its ornaments are decorative cones developed at an early age.

At the request of commercial growers, the U.S. agriculture department asked its Forest Genetics Institute here to experiment with new conifers.

Dr. F. L. Krugman of the institute says the hybridization of two types of lodgepole pine three years ago produced a fairly quickly growing, compact tree.

Unlike other commercially-grown Christmas trees, the new pine requires no pruning. It will attain usable size in about six years with little attention.

About 15,000 of the young trees will be exposed to varied conditions to determine the most favorable elevation, temperature, moisture and so on.

Dr. Krugman predicts some will reach the market in about four years and that in about six years large numbers of them will be on sale.

Yukon Hikes Taxes

WHITEHORSE, Y.T. (CP)—The Yukon Territorial Council agreed Wednesday ot impose increased taxes on liquor, vehicle licences and fuel oil, expected to result in an additional $600,000 in tax revenue in the next year.

CHILDREN'S MOVIE GUIDE

This table if classifications is prepared by the Victoria and District Parent-Teacher Council and is based chiefly upon reviews in Parents' Magazine and the monthly bulletin of the British Film Institute. With the co-operation of Victoria theatre managers, it covers current films.

TITLE—	CHILDREN (8-12 Years)	YOUTHS (13-18 Years)
Amorous Adventures of Moll Flanders	No	No
Bonnie and Clyde	No	No
The Family Way	No	No
The Fastest Guitar Alive	Poor	Poor
Gunn	No	No
The Incredible Mr. Limpet	Very good from 3 up	Good
The Iron Maiden	Mature	Good
It's a Bikini World	No review available	No review available
A King's Story	If interested	If interested
The Shop on Main Street	No	Very mature
The Trouble With Angels	Very entertaining	Very entertaining
Waco	Violent	Good of kind
Who's Minding the Mint?	No	No
Woman Times Seven	No	No

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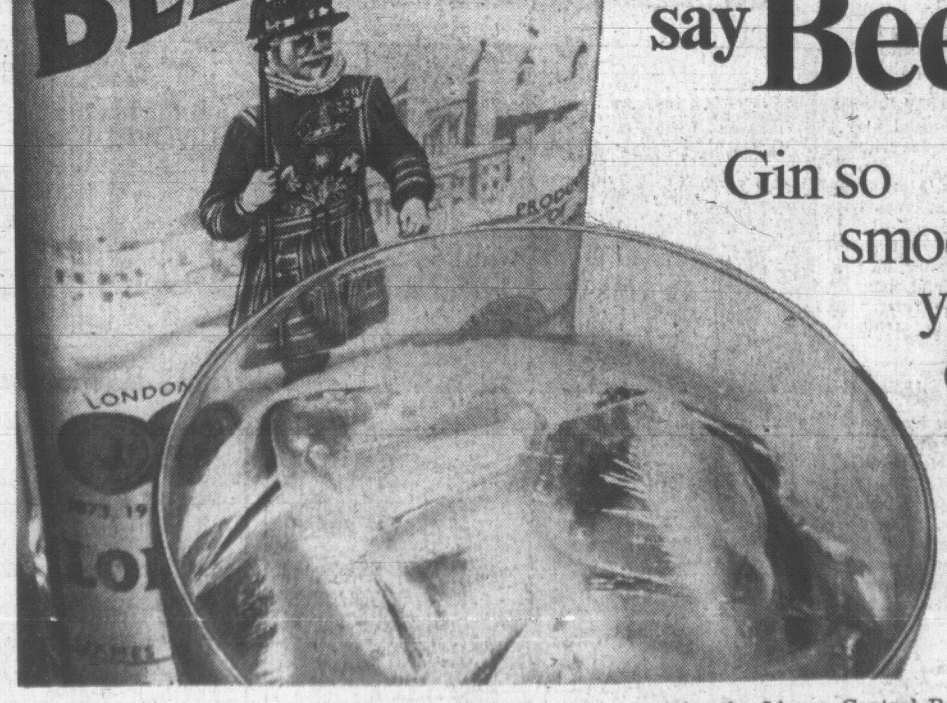

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THE LONG DUEL
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Feature: 1:00 3:00 5:00 7:05 9:10

STARTING TODAY
2 Big Technicolor Features
Craig Stevens Laura Devon in
Gunn's got a broad view of things... especially when it comes to murder!
GUNN
Adult Entertainment
Plus—A Great Outdoor Adventure
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CAPITOL
Gunn at 2:55, 6:00, 9:20
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Last Complete Show: 7:40

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ALAN ARKIN
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MICHAEL CAINE
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Six Arrested In Narcotics Crackdown

MONTREAL (CP)—Six persons have been arrested in a crackdown by customs officials and police on an international narcotic-smuggling ring operating through Montreal International Airport from South America and Europe.

In two days, 75 pounds of heroin, with an estimated value on the illicit market of $30,000,000, have been seized.

The RCMP made four arrests at the airport Wednesday night and a fifth later in a downtown hotel. One man was arrested at the airport Tuesday.

The smugglers' attempt to get largw quantities of heroin through Montreal set off a massive international police operation involving the RCMP, U.S. federal agents and Interpol, the international police organization with headquarters outside Paris.

After the arrest of Vincento Caputo Tuesday, the RCMP and customs officials began a major check of all travellers arriving at the airport with South American or Italian passports.

Caputo, an Italian national, was travelling on an Italian passport. He told police he lived in Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Travellers with South American or Italian passports, arriving on flights from London and Paris Wednesday were subjected to personal searches and had their baggage examined. Four men were arrested when heroin was found in money belts and false bottoms in their suitcases.

NEAR RECORD HAUL

Assistant RCMP Commissioner J. R. R. Carriere said today the series of seizures is the second largest in local police history.

The largest, he said, topped 100 pounds brought through customs on diplomatic privilege by South American diplomats. The drug was seized here three years ago in railway station lockers and replaced by flour.

The diplomats continued their journeyed to New York unaware of the switch and were arrested there after they made contact with the purchasers.

The first two men arrested Wednesday were en route from Buenos Aires to New York. Police said they had heroin in their money belts and in false bottoms in their suitcases.

The second two arrested arrived on a flight from Paris. Both had quantities of the drug in false bottoms in their suitcases.

The RCMP also began a check of all passengers in the last few days who might have slipped through with quantities of heroin before Tuesday's arrest. As a result, another man was arrested at the Queen Elizabeth Hotel by police when he returned to his room. He had a quantity of the drug in a money belt.

Caputo was charged in court Wednesday with possession of 13 pounds of heroin. The preliminary hearing was set for Dec. 20.

Police said he had travelled to Montreal from Madrid via Paris and was on his way to New York.

BRIDGE RESULTS

Pete Weir and Derek Ward won the Samuel Duprau memorial trophy at the annual Christmas party of the Victoria Duplicate Bridge Club. Results of the games:

Section A:

North-south: Laura Tingley and Gwen Graham; Pete Herold and Ken Hilborn; George Morgan and Gordon Rodger; Keith Stapleton and Harold Hancock; Brian Larkey and Al Kallberg.

East-west: Dora Duprau and Helen van der Vliet; Les Isaacson and Ron Smith; Dorothy Jennings and Joan Smith tied with Louis Lindholm and Joe Lukas; Hilda Reid and Babie Peck.

Section B:

North-south: Jean Wampole and Sadie MacPherson; Dan Frankham and Doris Asserland; Bill Champion and Fran Newall; Pat and John Bishop; Ida Druce and Peggy Hughes.

East-west: Pete Weir and Derek Ward; Margaret and Jack McAvoy; Joy Glover and Frances Watts; Chris Murray and Walter Allen; Dorothy and Bill McConnell.

'CAMBODIA PURSUIT WOULD BE UNDERSTOOD'

WASHINGTON (AP)—Officials at a United States state department briefing Wednesday would have the sympathetic understanding of major world capitals if it gave United States permission to pursue Communist troops into Cambodia.

They added there's no plan to attack Cambodia, but that if incidents occurred near her border during "hot pursuit" actions, such incidents would be disturbing but nevertheless understood by governments friendly to the U.S.

'Grave Reservations' Pearson's Reaction

OTTAWA (CP) — Prime Minister Pearson said Wednesday his is sure the United States is aware that Canada would have "grave reservations" about U.S. forces pursuing the Viet Cong across the South Vietnamese border into Cambodia.

Canada has already expressed its views in Washington about the applicability of the so-called doctrine of hot pursuit to the Vietnam War, he told the Commons in reply to Davie Fulton (PC—Kamloops).

Mr. Fulton said that in view of reports that the idea of hot pursuit is being considered again in Washington, now would be a good time for the Canadian government to press for an expansion of the role of the International Control Commission in Vietnam.

Mr. Pearson said U.S. uthorities know what the Canadian attitude towards hot pursuit would be "because of what we have said to them in the past." Canada felt there was grave danger that hot pursuit into Cambodia would bring other powers into the war.

Octopus Swapped

VANCOUVER (CP) — A 35-pound octopus caught in nearby Horseshoe Bay has been sent airmail to Montreal's new aquarium by the Vancouver Public Aquarium. Montreal was to send a Russian sturgeon and a collection of fish from the St. Lawrence River in return.

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The Ronson 400 electric razor offers you this exclusive guarantee of shaving performance. Ronson has developed the world's thinnest shaving screen . . . Miro-thin . . . that sets up whiskers and then cuts them down . . . gets to the base of them just like a blade. 36 stainless steel cutters have the fastest action ever. Super Trim clippers groom sideburns, collar zone, moustache. Each 29.95

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THREE BANDITS MAKE QUICK HAUL

Bank Manager Robbed of $50,000

WINNIPEG (CP)—Three armed men upset a routine money transfer operation today, robbing a young bank manager of an estimated $50,000 and escaping in his private car.

No shots were fired in the mid-morning robbery and none of the six bank employees was injured.

Jim Werner, the 23-year-old manager of the Bank of Montreal's sub-agency in the Winnipeg General Hospital, said he had just finished transferring money and records from the bank's Notre Dame and Beverley branch into his car when the men came running across the street.

The masked men told Mr. Werner and his five female employees, who he was also picking up, to lie down.

He said: "I don't even remember if they said it was a holdup. They told us to lie down on the boulevard."

They crouched in the snow and "it was all over in two or three minutes."

No one was touched.

"They just told us to get out of the way."

Mao Tightens Grip

TOKYO (AP) — China's Communist party chairman Mao Tse-tung has placed the mainland's public security directly under the Communist party rather than under local and national governments. This tack, which Mao took in October, apparently was aimed at preventing followers of Mao's archenemy, President Liu Shao-chi, from seizing control of police and militia units through loosely organized revolutionary government committees on local levels.

EATON'S Canada's Christmas Store

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Two-piece Chesterfield—One-of-a-kind floor samples to clear. 38" high back with modern rolled foam for added comfort, slim arm wood handle protectors. Turquoise only. **Reg. 299.99. Sale, suite** 259.00

Two-Piece Chesterfield—Handsomely styled with loose back cushions and decorative Irish linen print cover with beige background. **Sale, suite** 309.00

Two-piece Tynan Chesterfield—Modern design, wood arm protectors, brushed nylon covers. Rust, brown or red. Three only. **Sale, suite** 309.00

Two-Piece Chesterfield — 4-seater style in this classic French Provincial suite. Choose from green or goldtone. **Sale, suite** 249.00

Love Seats—60" long, two cushions, Lawton arm, rayon damask covers in red, green combinations or goldtone. Two only. **Sale, suite** 80.00

Two-piece Daveno — Nylon frieze covers, bedding box, foam seats. Beige or goldtone. Two only. **Sale, suite** 139.00

Hostess Chairs—Small hostess chairs, just the thing for extra seating. Charcoal, brown, green, goldtone. Limited quantity. **Sale, each** 10.00

Tub Chairs—Exceptional comfort foam cushions, matelasse covers. Bronze, green, grey, brown or goldtone. **Sale, each** 60.00

749 View Street

Seven-piece, Ranch-style Dinette — Table measures 36"x48", opening to 72", with two leaves. Walnut arborite. Six chairs, heavy bronzetone chairs. Brown and woodgrain finish, vinyl covers on chairs. **Sale, suite** 99.00

Five-piece Dinette Suite — Table measures 30"x38", opening to 48". Choice of white, cherry or walnut top. Chairs in two-tone vinyl. **Sale, suite** 44.00

Three-piece Bedroom Suite — 48" double dresser with tilting plate glass mirror, four-drawer chest, radio headboard bed. All arborite tops. **Reg. 189.00. Sale, suite** 159.00

Trilan Carpeting—Tweedtex and treebark. Cut lengths. **Sale, sq. yd.** 5.99

Underlay—Heavy-duty felt. Sanitized for mildew and moth resistance. **Sale, sq. yd.** 1.29

Hall Runner—27" wide viscose on foam. **Sale, lin. yd.** 2.49

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Choose a gift for her . . . something with exotic loveliness . . . something she'll treasure for a lifetime . . . pearls! Pearls you pick yourself from Eaton's this week during the exciting Sakata Pearl Bazaar happening now at Eaton's. See elegantly robed Japanese hostesses pluck your own oyster from the Pearl Pond and have it set in the setting of your choice, enjoy savings of one-third off on elegantly styled Sakata Pearl jewellery . . . that's this week at Eaton's.

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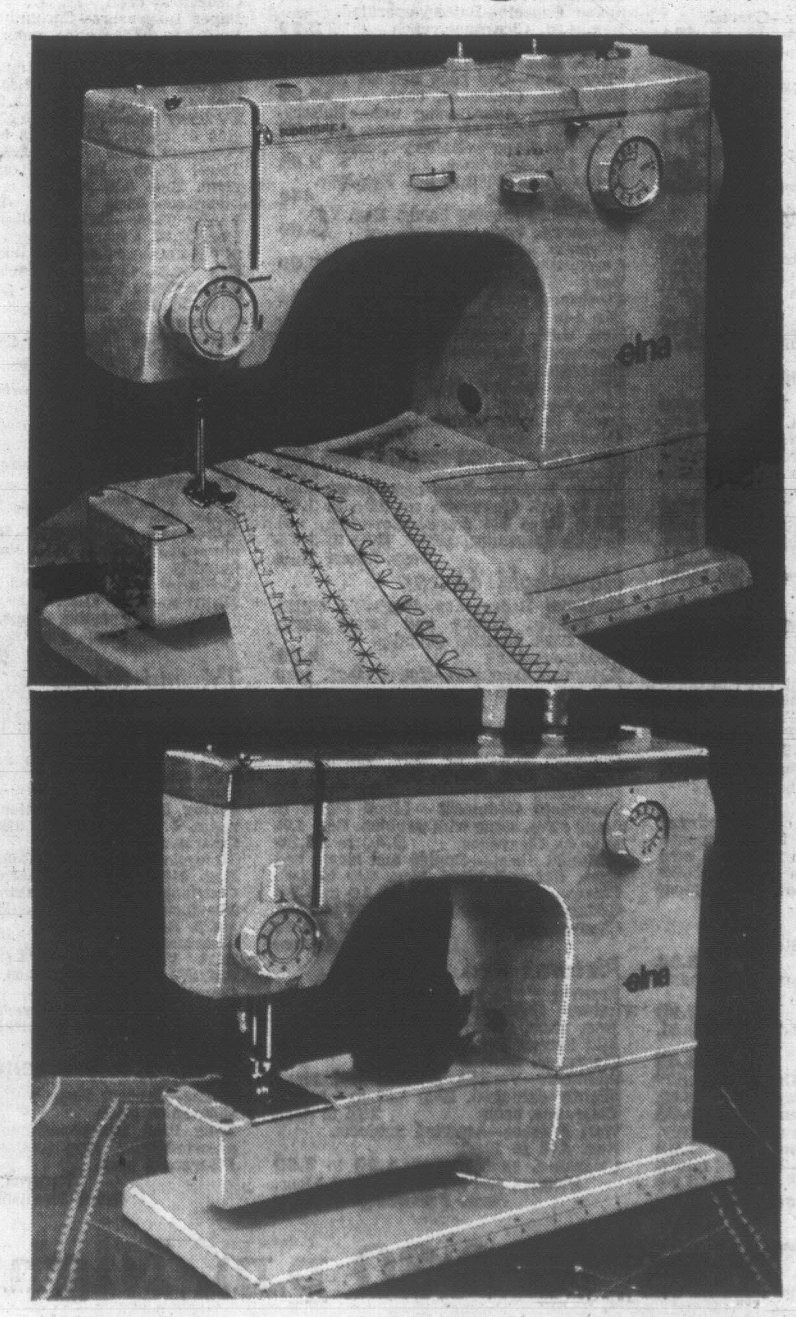

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Sewing Machines, Third Floor

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Jewellery

Costume Jewellery, ½ Off — Pin and earring sets, pins, necklaces, earrings for pierced ears. **Reg. 50c to 27.50. Clearance,** each or set, **25¢** to **13.75**

Jewel Boxes — Large size with double swing-out tray. **Clearance,** each **6.47**

Jewellery, Main Floor

Handbags—⅓ Off!

Assorted styles and colours in vinyl and leather. **Reg. 6.00 to 29.95. Clearance,** each **4.00** to **19.95**

Handbags, Main Floor

Accessories

Gloves, ½ to ½ Off—Assorted lengths and styles in imported kid gloves. Black, white, beige and brown. Broken sizes. **Reg. 6.00 to 24.95. Clearance,** pair **2.00** to **10.00**

Fabric Gloves, ½ Price — Assorted styles, broken sizes and colours. **Reg. 2.00 to 3.79. Clearance,** pair **1.00** to **4.39**

Glove and Scarf Sets—One size fits all. Pink, turquoise or white nylon gloves with matching sheer scarf. **Reg. 1.95. Clearance,** set **99¢**

Women's Handkerchiefs, ½ Price—Embroidered, initial or plain styles in linens and lawns. **Reg. 69c to 3.95. Clearance,** each **34¢** to **1.97**

Accessories, Main Floor

Hosiery

"Rose Dawn" Nylons—Mesh or plain knit in shades of coppertone, mocha, coffee bean. Sizes 9 to 11. **Clearance, 3** pairs **2.19**

Hosiery, Main Floor

Watches

Men's and Women's Watches, ½ to ½ Off — Collection includes "Solar" and other noted brand names. **Reg. 14.98 to 195.00. Clearance,** each **9.97** to **130.00**

Clocks and Watches, Main Floor

Shavers, Clippers

"Autohome" Shaver by Remington—Use at home, in your boat or car, with special attachment included. Gift case. **Reg. 27.95. Clearance,** each **16.97**

Electric Hair Clippers — Birkdale de luxe model with taper adjustment feature. Includes tin of specially refined oil. **Reg. 13.95. Clearance,** each **9.47**

Shavers, Main Floor

Toiletries

Men's Leather Utility Kits — Fitted. **Reg. 18.50. Clearance,** each **13.50**

Assorted Hair Sprays—Reg. 88c to 1.50. Clearance, each **44¢** to **75¢**

Schick Lather Shave Bomb—With bonus injector blades. **Reg. 1.59. Clearance,** each **89¢**

With bonus stainless steel blades. **Reg. 1.39. Clearance,** each **69¢**

Badger Shaving Brush—Made in England. **Reg. 3.95. Clearance,** each **2.99**

"Desert Flower" Roll-On Deodorant—Two 2-oz. containers. **Reg. 1.50. Clearonce,** both for **1.09**

Camphor Blocks—Refined camphor deodorant, also helps protect against moths. **Reg. 45c. Clearance,** each **29¢**

Maclean's Toothpaste — Regular size tube. **Reg. 43c. Clearance,** each **29¢**

"Blue Jay" Corn Plasters—Reg. 59c. Clearance, each **30¢**

Toiletries, Main Floor

Men's Wear

2-Pant Suits — 2 and 3-button jackets, all-wool fabrics. Sizes 36 to 46. **Reg. 100.00. Clearance,** suit **74.99**

Terylene and Wool Gabardine Raincoats — Beige or blue; broken sizes. **Reg. 75.00. Clearance,** each **54.99**

Borg-Lined Jackets—Cotton and Antron blend in blue, green. Sizes 36 to 46. **Reg. 27.50. Clearance,** each **19.99**

Sport Shirts—Clearance of better quality sport shirts. **Reg. 3.95 to 10.95. Clearance,** each **1.00** to **6.00**

Sweater Jackets, ½ Price — Medium size only. **Reg. 24.95. Clearance,** each **12.47**

Men's Cotton Brevets — S, M, L and XL. **Reg. 3 for 3.69. Clearance, 3** for **2.89**

Wool Vests, ½ Price—Plain shades, tartans. **Reg. 11.95. Clearance,** each **5.97**

Men's "Jantzen" Cardigans—S, M, L and XL. Assorted shades. **Reg. 20.00. Clearance,** each **12.97**

Men's Wear, Main Floor

Shoes

Children's Patent Party Shoes — Blue, bone, green or black. Sizes 6½ to 4 collectively. **Reg. 6.98. Clearance,** pair **3.99**

Teeners' Shoes—Assorted colours, styles. Sizes 5 to 10 collectively. **Reg. 9.95 to 12.98. Clearance,** pair **4.99**

Women's Shoes—Slings and pumps in varied colours. Sizes 6 to 10 collectively. **Reg. 19.00 to 21.00. Clearance,** pair **9.99**

Boys' Shoes—Black slip-ons and ties in broken sizes and styles. Sizes range from 3 to 8. **Reg. 7.95 to 11.98. Clearance,** pair **4.99**

Men's Shoes—Broken lines in black and brown, moccasin toes, toe caps in slip-ons and oxfords. **Reg. 18.00 to 21.00. Clearance,** pair **15.99**

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Shoes, Second Floor

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Special Import Room Clearance—⅓ to ½ Off!

Fashions from London, Rome, Paris, Dublin and New York — collection includes: **Coats** in plains and tweeds; **Suits** in plains, tweeds and knits; **Dresses** in afternoon, evening and cocktail designs; **Cruise and Sportswear Boutique.** Limited quantity—mostly one-of-a-kind. **Reg. 26.50 to 395.00. Clearance,** each **17.67** to **264.34**

Millinery—⅓ Off!

Model hats including jerseys, pan velvets, mellusine, beaver and velour felts in a variety of styles. **Reg. 9.00 to 45.00. Clearance,** each **6.00** to **30.00**

Junior and Petite Dresses ⅓ Off!

Daytime and after-five styles taken from regular stock. Various styles and fabrics. Sizes 5 to 15. **Clearance,** each **10.99** to **26.67**

Misses' Suits—⅓ Off!

Beautiful suits to wear season after season . . . look what you can choose from: plains and tweeds, rib wools, silk knits and double knits in two and three-piece styles. Sizes 10 to 20. **Reg. 35.00 to 130.00. Clearance,** each **23.30** to **86.65**

Misses' Dresses—⅓ Off!

Choose one or more to see you through the holiday season—at prices that please your Christmas budget! Wool double knits, silk knits, crepes in afternoon and evening styles. Sizes 8 to 20.

Town House Fashions—Cocktail dresses, sizes 10 to 12. **Reg. 40.00 to 120.00. Clearance,** **10.00** to **30.00**

Misses' Coats—⅓ Off!

A pre-Christmas clearance that lets you wear a new winter coat now—at post-Christmas clearance prices! Choose from boucles, wool and mohair, tweeds and needlepoint fabrics. Fox, mink, beaver and Persian lamb trims. Also a good selection of untrimmed coats. Sizes 8 to 20. **Reg. 40.00 to 145.00. Clearance,** each **26.65** to **100.00**

Lingerie

Cotton Sleepwear — Choose from shift gowns and baby doll pyjamas in the group. Pink or blue prints. S, M, L collectively. **Limit 2 to a customer. Clearance,** each **99¢**

Nylon Shift Gowns — With lace trim. Ping or blue in S.M.L. collectively. **Limit 1 to a customer. Clearance,** each **2.99**

Sportswear—⅓ to ½ Price!

Slims, Sweaters, Blouses—Broken sizes and colours. **Reg. 4.00 to 11.00, Half Off. Clearance,** each **2.00** to **5.50**

Bonded Orlon Co-ordinates — Slims, jackets, A-line skirts, orlon knit Tee shirts in co-ordinating colours. **Reg. 7.00 to 13.00, One-Third Off. Clearance,** each **4.34** to **8.67**

Botany Wool Sweaters—Cardigans and turtle-neck pullovers in dark shades. Sizes 36 to 40. **Reg. 10.00. Clearance,** each **5.00**

Silky Acrylic Sweaters—Cardigans and shells in heather tones of green, blue and wine. Sizes S, M, L. **Reg. 4.00 to 6.00. Clearance,** each **2.00** and **3.00**

Skirts, Shifts, Tops — Shifts in checks and patterns, 10 to 16 collectively. Glitter and lace tops and skirts in broken sizes. Skirts in plains and prints, some with white blouses. Co-ordinating tops, slims and skirts in wool. **Reg. 11.00 to 25.00. Clearance,** each **6.50** to **25.00**

Clearance of Foundations

You'll recognize the names of several well-known makers . . . and you'll be pleased with the savings! Find long-line or regular bras, panty girdles and regular girdles in this important clearance. Hurry . . . sizes are broken. **Reg. 3.00 to 17.00. Clearance,** each **1.99** to **11.34**

Women's World Clearance ⅓ to ½ Off!

Sportswear—Slims, blouses and sweaters in sizes for the larger figure, 38 to 44 collectively. **Reg. 10.00 to 17.50. Clearance,** each **5.00** to **11.70**

Dresses—Beautiful styles to enhance the mature figure. Choose a dress to wear through the festive season from this group of arnels, wools and crepes in sizes 12½ to 24½. **Reg. 20.00 to 55.00. Clearance,** each **10.00** to **36.60**

Winter Coats—Smart styles to keep you looking your best while you feel warm and dry. Group includes fur trims and untrimmed coats as well as corduroy weather coats. Broken style, colour and size range. **Reg. 20.00 to 120.00. Clearance,** each **10.00** to **80.00**

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2-Piece wool suits in fall shades. Broken sizes. **Clearance,** each **30.00** to **40.00**

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Dresses to Clear—Cottons and blends in assorted styles. Misses and half sizes. **Reg. 9.00 to 13.00. Limit 1 to a customer. Clearance,** each **5.00**

Floor of Fashion

Young People's World

Clearance of Boys' and Young Men's Wear—Sweaters, shirts and slacks in broken sizes and colours. **Clearance,** each **1.00** to **5.00**

Clearance of Girls' and Teen Wear—Sweaters, slacks, leotards, coats and dresses in assorted sizes and colours. **Clearance,** each **99¢** to **9.99**

Young People's World, Third Floor

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Shag Rugs—Multi shades of gold. Wool shag. **Reg. 198.00. Clearance,** each **119.00**

Multi-Coloured Beige Axminster Rug—9'x12' size. **Reg. 199.95.** 1 only. **Clearance 149.00**

All-Wool Kamoston Oriental Rug—Light beige. **Reg. 169.95.** 1 only. **Clearance 99.50**

Oriental Patterned Wilton Rug — Size 9'x12'. **Reg. 149.95. Clearance,** each **99.95**

Axminster Rugs—Wool and rayon in red Persian design. Size 9'x12'. **Reg. 129.95. Clearance,** each **89.50**

Oval Braided Rugs—Size 9'x12' in assorted colours. 3 only. **Reg. 129.00. Clearance,** each **89.00**

Oval Braided Rug—1 only. Size 9'x12'. Brown only. **Reg. 89.00. Clearance 69.00**

Floor Coverings, Main Floor, Home Furnishings Building

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Fabrics, Third Floor

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Notions, Main Floor

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Candies, Main Floor

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Wools and Fancy Goods, Third Floor

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Luggage, Third Floor

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Paints, Lower Main Floor

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Hardware, Lower Main Floor

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Appliances, Main Floor, Home Furnishings Building

Toys

Wooden Chairs—Folding style. **Reg. 2.98. Clearance,** each **1.99**

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Space Capsule—Battery-operated. **Reg. 4.98. Clearance,** each **2.99**

Magnajector—Portable electric toy projector. **Reg. 6.98. Clearance,** each **3.99**

"Racerific"—Car race against time. **Reg. 34.98. Clearance,** each **19.95**

Speedmarx Auto-Racing Set — Battery-operated. **Reg. 9.98. Clearance,** set **6.99**

Ford "Mustang"—Battery-operated. **Reg. 4.98. Clearance,** each **2.99**

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"Captain Action"—Reg. 5.98. Clearance, each **3.99**

Baby "Cheerful-Tearful"—Reg. 3.98. Clearance, each **2.99**

Big 4-in-1 Truck—With remote control. **Reg. 11.98. Clearance,** each **8.99**

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Fling-a-Roo—Reg. 49c. Clearance, each **25¢**

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Toys, Lower Main

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Pictures and Mirrors, Second Floor, Home Furnishings Building

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Brownie "Fiesta" Camera—Uses new flash cubes. **Reg. 10.46. Clearance,** each **6.89**

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Gadget Bag—For instamatic type cameras or small movie cameras. **Reg. 12.95. Clearance,** each **8.79**

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Cameras, Main Floor

Housewares

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Step-On Garbage Cans — Chromium-plated. **Reg. 14.95. Clearance,** each **11.19**

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Housewares, Lower Main Floor

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Sporting Goods, Main Floor, Home Furnishings Building

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TV and Stereo, Main Floor, Home Furnishings Building

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Records, Main Floor, Home Furnishings Building

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Electricals, Main Floor, Home Furnishings Building

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Parfait—Reg. 6.95. Clearance, set **4.63**

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Hurricane Lamps—Reg. 6.95. Clearance, set **4.63**

China, Main Floor, Home Furnishings Building

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Round Maple Extension Table — Spice brown finish. **Reg. 139.50.** 1 only. **Clearance 99.50**

French Provincial Nest of Tables—Walnut or fruitwood finish. **Reg. 89.95. Clearance,** set **69.95**

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Furniture, Second Floor, Home Furnishings Building

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Clearance, 2 widths, pair **17.77**

Clearance, 3 widths, pair **27.77**

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Pearson Announces Retirement

GREEK REGENT NAMED

King Flees After Abortive Coup Crushed

By PHILIP DOPOULOS

ATHENS (AP) — Greece's military regime today crushed the last remnants of a counter-coup led by King Constantine and began a roundup of suspected royalist officers and rightist politicians.

The 27-year-old king, stripped of his power and with his day-old dream of ousting the military government shattered, fled to Rome with his family.

Col. George Papadopoulos, strong man of the military regime and new premier, announced in a broadcast that Lt.-Gen. George Zoitakis, undersecretary of national defence, had been installed as regent.

Papadopoulos later told reporters the constitutional monarchy would be preserved and the king had voluntarily surrendered his functions.

Papadopoulos said the military government knew nothing in advance of the king's intentions Wednesday when he broadcast an appeal to Greeks to oust the military government and restore freedom.

"And I admit that had we known of his plans we would have tried at the very last minute to enlighten him and prevent him from going astray," he added. "The whole action is inconceivable to us."

Greeks learned late in the day that their king had fled. Papadopoulos' news conference was broadcast by Athens radio reporting the royal family, Premier Constantine Kollias and some officers had flown secretly to Rome.

King 'Welcome' in Denmark

In an early-morning broadcast, Papadopoulos declared that the "anti-nationalist conspiracy has been crushed. The conspirators have been ousted."

Meanwhile, Constantine met in the Greek embassy in Rome with Kollias and loyal officers.

There were various reports that he would go to France, Britain, or Denmark. Since his wife, Anne-Marie, is a daughter of Denmark's King Frederik IX and Queen Ingrid, Denmark was a likely choice.

Prime Minister Jens Otto Krag of Denmark said in Copenhagen the Greek royal family would be welcome if it decided to settle in Denmark.

Less than 24 hours after Constantine called Wednesday on his people to revolt against the ruling colonels in Athens, troops and armored carriers that had ringed the junta headquarters in the Parliament building, were removed. However, armed guards continued to stand outside defence headquarters on the outskirts of the capital.

Military units in northern Greece had been reported siding with the king, but the only reported fighting on the mainland was at Elefsis Air Force base southwest of Athens. Two army captains attempting to board a plane there for northern Greece were reported shot by troops loyal to the government, and clashes between air force and army units followed. Two buildings caught fire in the fighting.

Fighting also was reported on the Greek island of Crete, scene of the only armed resistance to the junta's takeover eight months ago.

Reports said the king was with the 3rd Armored Army Corps, based in the north, when he appealed to the nation to rebel. Athens radio said today the commander of the corps, Gen. George Peridis, was among three army generals arrested by the junta.

Widespread arrests of right-wing politicians also were reported in Athens.

The capital was calm today, and people hurried to work as usual. But the government ordered all banks and the stock exchange closed to avert financial panic.

Reports from northern Greece were sketchy because the area

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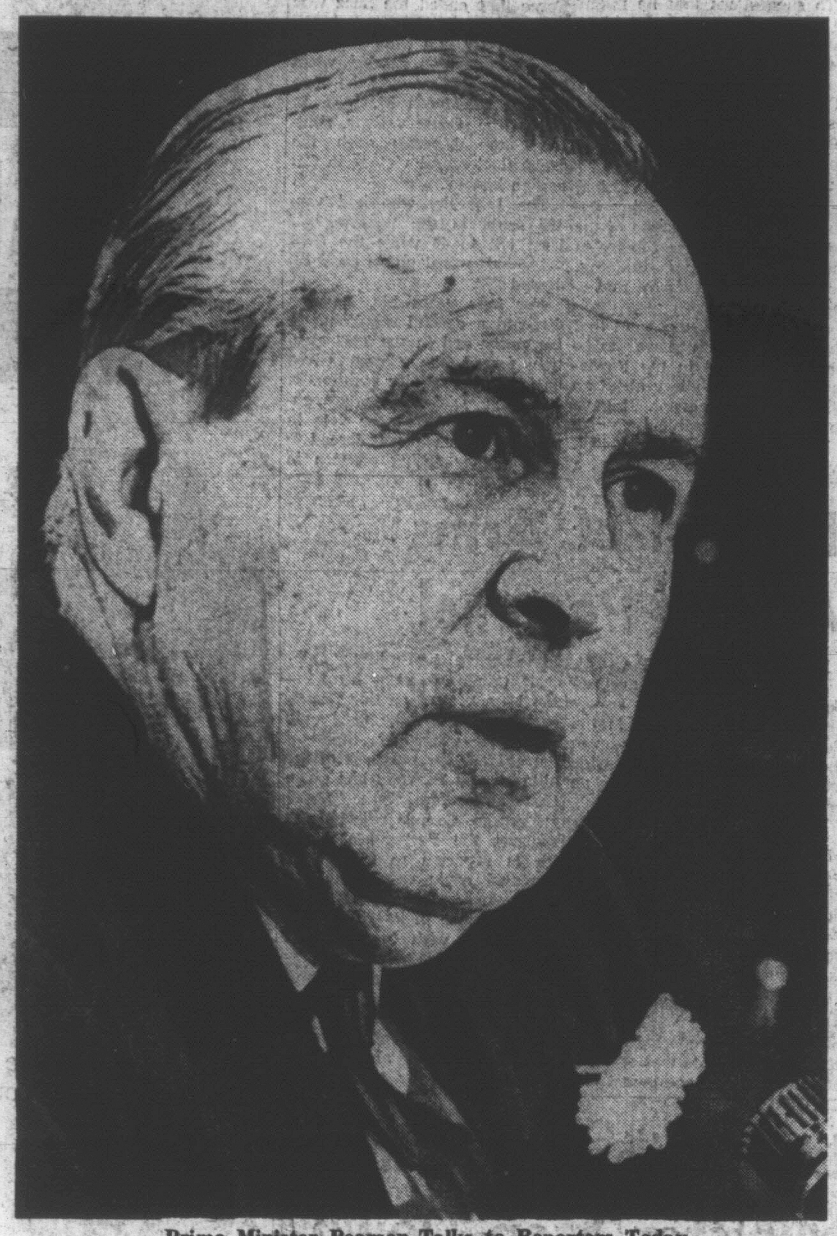

Prime Minister Pearson Talks to Reporters Today

Decision No Surprise To Bennett

Little surprise and not much comment on Prime Minister Pearson's announcement was expressed today by provincial politicians.

Premier Bennett said he was not surprised at all but emphasized it was a Liberal party problem which did not affect the B.C. government because Mr. Pearson remains prime minister.

B.C. Liberal Leader Ray Perrault, in a telephone interview from Kitimat, said "I think history is going to record him as one of the greatest prime ministers of all time, despite any current assessment.

"I regret Mr. Pearson's departure from the scene very much but Liberals will now have to turn their thoughts to the future and I expect the next few months are going to be very exciting indeed."

'SHOULD DISBAND'

Opposition Leader Robert Strachan said the Liberal party should disband, rather than replace Mr. Pearson, in order to give the New Democratic Party a better chance to form the next government.

B.C. Liberal Association president Lawrence Jolivet, of Vancouver, said Mr. Pearson's resignation was not unexpected.

He added his association will avoid expressing a formal view regarding a successor until a leadership meeting is held.

Resources Minister Ray Williston said Mr. Pearson's decision was understandable but regrettable because it could

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Remains as PM Until Convention

OTTAWA (CP) — Prime Minister Pearson announced today he has decided to resign as leader of the Liberal party but will continue as prime minister and party leader until a convention selects a successor.

The 70-year-old prime minister dropped the bombshell announcement at a press conference, reading a letter in which he asked Senator John Nichol, president of the Liberal Federation of Canada, to call a convention.

He said the convention is expected by April and that the new leader will take over almost immediately as prime minister.

Mr. Pearson said he will not be a candidate in the next election but will remain as an MP for the life of this Parliament, which was elected in 1965.

He said he had decided it is "an appropriate time to take this step."

Mr. Pearson's resignation has been rumored for a year or more. But when the announcement came, it caught Ottawa with dramatic suddenness.

Among those who have been prominently mentioned as possible successors are External Affairs Minister Paul Martin, 64, Finance Minister Mitchell Sharp, 56, Transport Minister Paul Hellyer, 44, Health Minister Allan MacEachen, 46, and Registrar-General John Turner, 38.

Other names in speculation are Trade Minister Winters, 57, Manpower Minister Marchand, 49, and Justice Minister Trudeau, 46.

'Convinced Decision is Right'

Mr. Pearson read his letter, which said in part:

"I have reached this decision with great regret, but I am convinced it is the right one."

He said he has been prime minister for almost five years, party leader for 10 years, MP for Algoma East for 19 years, and a public servant for 40 years.

"No leader of a political party could have received more loyalty, support and friendship than I have. For that, and for the opportunity to serve my country through the party, I will always be deeply grateful."

"When the time comes for me to leave the leadership, my wife and I will be retiring to our little rose-covered cottage in Rockliffe," Mr. Pearson said.

The Pearsons bought a home in the suburban community some months ago.

Asked whether he will express any preference about a successor, Mr. Pearson replied:

"I will indicate in no way any preference for a successor and I will have no part in this aspect of party activities.' "

He said that from his discussions with Senator Nichol he understands it will take three or four months to set up a leadership convention.

Senator Nichol said the Liberal leadership convention probably would be held in Ottawa next March or April.

An executive meeting of the Liberal federation had been called for this Sunday in Ottawa and a definite decision would be announced Monday on the time and location of the convention.

Always Intended to Quit This Year

Mr. Pearson, replying to a reporter's question, said he had always intended to hand in his resignation this year.

At first he thought he would step down in the spring or early summer but the "pleasant" pressure of Centennial Year engagements prompted him to put it off until now.

Mr. Pearson concluded the press conference with the words: "Well, c'est la vie." (That's life).

He said he does not have the slightest misgivings that cabinet ministers who may be seeking the leadership will stay in Ottawa as ministers and MPs to carry on the government's work.

At another point, he said he does not want to scoop his own autobiography.

He and John Diefenbaker might meet each other on the daily walks in suburban Rockcliffe to discuss how their respective memoires were progressing, he said jokingly.

He recalled that his first motion as Liberal leader in the Commons—in January, 1958—was not the high spot of his career.

"I had no place to go but up," he said.

The motion in question was one in which he called on the Conservatives to resign and hand back government reins to the Liberals without an election.

Mr. Pearson said with a chuckle that he and Mr. Diefenbaker might be members on the same parliamentary committees.

He said he expects to be active in Canada's political affairs in the next three or four months, particularly affairs dealing with constitutional questions.

Mr. Pearson said he believes the process of constitutional change has begun. He hoped it would continue to strengthen national unity and every other aspect of Canadian life.

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Greek Royal Family May Fly to Denmark

ROME (Reuters) — King Constantine of Greece rested at the Greek embassy here today as speculation mounted that he and Queen Anne-Marie would later fly to Denmark following his abortive attempt to topple the military regime in Athens.

The king arrived before dawn with his family and former Greek prime minister Constantine Kollias hours after he was deprived of his powers by the military junta.

The king called off a scheduled press conference.

Greek Consul Inades Moutsios left the embassy in a hurry and, asked if the king would stay in Italy for long, replied "I don't think so."

The plane which brought the king from Greece stood ready for departure at Ciampino and there was speculation it was being prepared for a flight to Denmark, whose king is the father of Queen Anne-Marie.

An Italian foreign ministry spokesman said "for us he is a guest of Italy—I am not saying of the Italian government."

"Everybody has a right to ask for political asylum—from the king to the last Greek citizen. It is not a problem for us, but it seems to be a problem for him," the Italian spokesman added.

The dramatic night flight of the royal family came as the Athens government announced the failure of an attempt by Constantine to topple the junta which took power in a coup April 21.

The 27-year-old king's royal gamble started 24 hours earlier when he went to Larissa in Northern Greece and appealed to the people and the armed forces to help him restore parliamentary democracy.

Constantine, looking wan as he stepped out of his plane in pre-dawn darkness, blinked frequently, apparently to hold back tears.

Asked if he had any statement to make, the king told reporters "None at the moment."

Another plane from Greece followed 1½ hours later carrying senior Greek officers and luggage.

NATO Fears Split Over Greek Crisis

BRUSSELS (AP) — Hurried behind-the-scenes moves were made today in an effort to keep the new Greek crisis from splitting the North Atlantic Alliance.

At least one foreign minister —Hans Tabor of Denmark—at the year-end review session of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization was reported intent on bringing up the issue at the windup session.

British Foreign Secretary George Brown intervened personally with Tabor to keep the crisis from formally coming onto the floor of the secret ministerial session. Brown was reported to feel that as long as information from Athens is incomplete the counter-coup attempt and its consequences for the NATO flank nation should not become the subject of formal debate.

But Brown was reported to have assured Tabor that should the crisis call for special allied examination he might be prepared to associate Britain with any Danish move in this direction.

The military regime in Greece has been of constant concern to Socialist governments of the alliance, which take the view that it is following policies inconsistent with NATO aims and purposes. Both Denmark and Britain are under Socialist regimes.

'RECOGNITION RECONSIDERED'

LONDON (UPI) — Prime Minister Harold Wilson said today the government will consider withdrawing its recognition of the Greek government in the wake of King Constantine's flight to exile.

Wilson told the House of Commons British recognition "no longer appears to be valid because the head of state to which our ambassador is accredited is no longer in Greece."

WIRE BRIEFS

Drug Price Curbs?

OTTAWA (CP)—The government plans to introduce legislation today aimed at lowering consumer drug prices by lessening the patent protection enjoyed by the drug manufacturers, informants said today.

Ships Collide

YERSEKE, The Netherlands (Reuters)—The 40,500-ton Bermudan oil tanker Lord Strathcona collided in dense fog in the Westerscheldt estuary near here today with the 1,420-ton Norwegian vessel Balblom.

First reports said the Balblom was seriously damaged above the waterline and that both vessels anchored.

No Recognition

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States is withholding recognition of Greece's military regime, and officials indicated today the administration will probably consult wth its allies in NATO before a decision is made.

Bombers Hit Hanoi

MOSCOW (Reuters) — The Russian news agency Tass today reported that 50 American planes raided residential areas of the North Vietnamese capital of Hanoi, dropping delayed action anti-personnel bombs. Tass gave no details of any injuries or damage.

Arms Talks Adjourn

GENEVA (AP) — The 17-nation disarmament conference began a five-week recess today. It will resume discussions on a treaty to ban the spread of nuclear weapons Jan. 18.

Students Strike

ROCHESTER, N.Y. (AP)—Students went on strike at the University of Rochester today to protest the suspension of 23 graduate students who participated in a sit-in demonstration against a Dow Chemical Co. recruiting team last month.

TEXT OF LETTER

OTTAWA (CP) — Text of Prime Minister Pearson's letter today to Senator John Nichol, president of the Liberal Federation of Canada:

I wish to inform you of my decision, taken after lengthy and serious consideration, to resign from the leadership of our party. I feel that this is the appropriate time for me to take this step.

I do not need to tell you that I have reached this decision with great regret but I am convinced that it is the right one. I will soon have been in public service for 40 years, 19 of those years as member of Parliament for Algoma East, and, for the last 10, I have had the great honor and privilege to be the leader of the Liberal party; and for nearly five years the prime minister of our country.

No leader of a political party could have received more loyalty, support and friendship than I have. For that, and for the opportunity to serve my country through the party, I will always be deeply grateful.

I would like to ask you, as president of the Liberal Federation of Canada, to take at once the necessary steps to organize a national convention at an appropriate place and time. Until that convention has chosen my successor I will, of course, continue to serve as leader of the party.

Yours sincerely,
L. B. Pearson,
Prime Minister.

TORNADO HITS SYDNEY, MANY HOUSES DAMAGED

SYDNEY, Australia (AP)—A tornado ripped into the Sydney Harbor suburb of Mosman today, leaving many persons injured and hundreds of houses damaged.

Police said they were unable to give full details immediately.

Police Commissioner Norman Allen described the scene as "bad as London in the blitz", with roofs being torn off scores of houses.

CHILDREN OF ASIA FUND

Everyone Grateful for Soapsuds

By KATHRINE THOMAS

There's an unusual boys club in Seoul, Korea.

It's run for shoeshine boys.

Dr. Lotta Hitschmanova, executive director of the Unitarian Service Committee, vividly recalls meeting three of the members.

"After lunch I went to the common washroom in our USC headquarters at the Social Service Centre and suddenly found myself in the presence of three boys, about 17 years old, none of them with a stitch on, black from head to toe with dirt and dust and all earnestly scrubbing themselves with a big cake of soap.

"I finally realized that these were the shoeshine boys getting ready to meet me. And sure enough, an hour later, shining and clean, they were introduced to me as members of our Mapo Shoe Shine Club."

Dr. Hitschmanova explained that there are now nearly 10,000 shoeshine boys in Korea, most of them born during or after the Korean War, who missed out on their schooling through lack of opportunity.

"Their day begins very early as they try to catch anyone who might need a shoeshine on the way to the office," she says. "Every morning each boy takes the place allotted by his gang leader.

"The boys earn three cents for one shoeshine job and need at least four customers before they can leave to go and buy a little rice for breakfast. In the afternoon they might get another 10 clients apiece but needless to say they're always hungry and ragged."

There's been a large rise in juvenile delinquency in Korea and the shoeshine club at the Social Service Centre in Seoul is the USC's latest pilot project in the field of social welfare.

"What they ask for most," says Dr. Hitschmanova, "is a hot bath, something to eat, clean clothes, and a job. But more than anything else — they want a chance to go to school."

The boys meet every Thursday afternoon with a USC group worker to talk out their problems and the USC is planning to give them meal tickets for a nearby restaurant.

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U.S. 'Space Bus' Can Hurl Missiles at Several Cities

DALLAS, Tex. (AP) — A defence department researcher says the United States has developed a space vehicle that can hurl nuclear warheads at several cities.

Dr. John S. Foster Jr., director of defence research and engineering told a dinner of the Dallas chapter of the Association of the U.S. Army and the Dallas Council on World Affairs Wednesday that the "space bus" would counter additional missiles deployed by the Soviet Union.

After the main booster has cut off the bus can make minute adjustments of its speed and direction, and after each adjustment can eject one of the several re-entry vehicles with nuclear warheads that it carries, Foster said.

COULD ALSO HIT ONE

Thus, each warhead would be delivered on a trajectory to a different city, or if desired, all could be delivered within one city.

The Poseidon, a new missile planned for deployment on Polaris nuclear submarines, will carry the space bus.

Foster said a worldwide military satellite communication system with transportable terminals also has been deployed. The system can be moved to any spot in the world so that a local commander can maintain continuous and private communication with the Pentagon or White House.

He said about $400,000,000 will be spent on basic research in fields important to defence and more than $8,000,000,000 will be spent in actual defence research.

'Artillery Shotgun' New Cong Killer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The U.S. Army has started using what amounts to huge artillery shotgun shells against the Communists in South Vietnam, sources report.

New artillery rounds fired in regula 105-millimetre howitzer pieces spray thousands of dart-shaped steel shafts over broad areas of jungle or open territory.

One well-aimed round can kill hundreds of troops massing for an attack.

Military men report the weapon has been used with lethal effectiveness in such actions as Communist charges against American artillery positions below the demilitarized zone separating North and South Vietnam.

"I've seen reports of enemy soldiers actually being nailed to trees by these things," one officer commented.

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Y' might say o' Constantine thet he flew th' coup.

★ ★ ★

Seems by th' time Mike got a second look at th' premiers, he'd had it.

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It's easy t' see who is scramblin' fer the leadership, an' where, an' when, an' how. Th' big mystery is why.

. . . KING IN ROME

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was cut off from Athens by road and by telephone. But Athens radio announced today it had restored radio communications with stations in the north.

It was not immediately known what would happen to military units—reported to include parts of the air force—that had sided with the king. The junta was reported offering the dissident units an amnesty in an attempt to avoid bloodshed and restore unity.

Premier Constantine Kollias, the civilian government head named by the colonels who seized power last April 21, accompanied the royal family to Rome after Papadopoulos supplanted him.

Papadopoulos, the new government chief in name as well as in fact, broadcast thanks to the Greek armed forces and Greek people for standing by his government.

"You have saved Greece and its unity," he said. "You proved worthy and acted with determination that surpassed bravery. . . . You have protected with self-sacrifice the meaning of true freedom and healthy democracy."

The April coup caught Constantine by surprise. Although remaining as a figurehead, he made clear he regarded the junta as a disastrous stopgap.

Observers in London believe the timing of his attempted counter-coup was influenced by the junta's reported efforts to preserve military rule in a new draft constitution due to be announced Friday and by the recent announcement from Paris by former premier Constantine Caramanlis that he was ready to return to Greece to head a democratic civilian government.

The king also was believed to have hoped to take advantage of widespread discontent in the army over the junta's withdrawal of about 12,000 Greek troops from Cyprus under Turkish pressure. Greek troops returning from the island were reported to have landed secretly in northern Greece, where they could have joined forces with the king.

Puffy eyed and walking unsteadily, the king arrived in Rome in a royal plane at 4:55 a.m. With him came his 21-year-old wife Queen Anne-Marie, a former Danish princess; their two young children, Crown Prince Paul and Princess Alexia; Queen Mother Frederika, long a centre of political turmoil in Greece; Princess Irene, the king's sister, and Kollias.

The refugees went to the Greek embassy.

NATO Delegate Loses Job

The crisis caught three Greek government ministers attending the ministers' conference of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization in Brussels, and one lost his job. Foreign Minister Panayiotis Pipinelis and Finance Minister Adamantios Androutsopoulos will retain their posts. But Lt.-Gen. Gregory Spantidakis was dropped from the post of deputy premier and defence minister. Papadopoulos took over the defence ministry.

As the last remnants of resistance to the military regime collapsed today, it became apparent that Constantine's attempt at a counter-coup was foiled at the last minute by men loyal to the Athens government.

The king's attempt was scheduled to start at noon Wednesday, beginning in northern Greece with the support of the powerful 3rd Corps.

But the military regime in Athens was apparently tipped off and took immediate counter-measures.

Informed sources gave this account of what occurred in Salonika, the largest city in the north, and at Kavalla, in northeastern Greece, where the king was with forces loyal to him.

About 10 a.m., members of the regime in Athens received reports that the king would make an attempt to oust them.

Troops immediately ringed all government buildings in Salonika, including the telecommunications centre and the radio station. All phone lines were cut, isolating northern Greece from the rest of the country. The king's forces were unable to call up any royalist units in the Athens area to rise up against the junta.

The king and his entire family flew to Kavalla early Wednesday morning from an air base near his estate at Tatoi, 26 miles from Athens. He went immediately to the radio station to record an address to the nation urging it to stand by his side as he attempted to "restore democracy and freedom."

Air Force Radio Was Used

The taped address was flown by royalist air force officers to Larissa, in central Greece, where the Greek Air Force has most of its units at a large NATO air base. It was broadcast over a shortwave band.

Most Greeks were unable to pick it up. But later, about 5 p.m., air force jets appeared over Salonika and began dropping thousands of copies of the king's address. To most Salonikans, it was the first indication of what was happening.

Meanwhile, troops loyal to the Athens government had taken control of key points in and around the city.

The junta's minister of northern Greece, Brig. Dimitrios Patilis, was seriously ill with a kidney disorder, but left his hospital bed, put on his uniform and took over the 3rd Army headquarters in Salonika. From there he deposed the 3rd Corps commander, Gen. Peridis, and began announcing over the local radio station that he was in full control of the situation.

He also called on the 1st and 2nd Army Corps to restore communications immediately with the defence headquarters in Athens and gave orders to stop any units not loyal to the Athens government from entering Salonika.

While the king, in Kavalla with his followers, was trying to figure out who was with them and who was against them, the colonels in Athens solidified their position by getting commanding officers of the Greek Army to make loyalty statements.

The king and his family had taken over the Astir Hotel in Kavalla. He put on his marshal's uniform and took command, but the reports coming in were disheartening, especially from Salnika.

In another taped address broadcas t later over Larissa shortwave radio, the king said that Col. Papadopoulis, Brig. Stylianos Patakos, Col. Gregory Makarezos and Gen. Zoitakis were dismissed from his government. But they continued to call on all the armed forces to stand by them.

Students Voice Support for King

The king claimed in his broadcast that all units of the armed forces in Central and Northern Greece were loyal to him. He omitted the forces in the Athens area, hoping they would eventually rally to him.

Wednesday afternoon, a small group of students gathered on the campus of Salonika University, shouting "Democracy! Democracy!" and demonstrating in support of the monarch. Police quickly dispersed them without violence.

At 3 a.m. today, 17 hours after the king's attempt was launched, tanks loyal to the military junta entered Salonika to support the troops already at key points in the city. Salonika remained calm throughout.

After midnight Wednesday night it apparently became obvious to the king that the support he thought he had was not enough. He started planning his departure and went to his wife and his mother and told them of his decision.

The family drove to nearby Kavalla airport, boarded the royalplane and flew direct to Rome.

"Sure NATO's a great idea. How else would we get to visit Brussels?"

. . . FUND

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"Very much thank you," they kept repeating in English to Dr. Hitschmanova.

A small investment could help to rescue these boys before it is too late.

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Mr. Norris	2.50
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Total	$5,543.84

Ship Captain Held Prisoner In Mutiny

ROTTERDAM (AP) — The crew of the Liberian freighter African Monarch locked the captain in the wheelhouse today, saying he threatened them, the Dutch minesweeper Rhenen reported.

The African Monarch, of 7,298 tons, was six miles off the Dutch Hook of Holland when the trouble broke out. The captain asked for assistance.

After consultations with the Liberian embassy at The Hague, the government sent the Rhenen with its crew, a marine officer, 10 marines and the Liberian consul.

The Rhenen radioed:

"Our men are aboard the African Monarch. They talked with some crew members of the vessel who said they were being threatened by their captain.

"The crew members said 'We locked him plus two other men in the wheelhouse. The captain is armed,' "

The ship was en route from Rostock, East Germany, to Rotterdam. Its crew of about 30 were reported to be mostly Italian.

No Violence Signs

PLANO, Tex. (AP)—An autopsy disclosed no marks of violence on the body of Evalyn McLean, 25, who was once among heirs to the famed Hope diamond. But Justice of the Peace B. B. Carpenter added that it would be two to three weeks before the cause of death could be pinpointed. (See story page 9.)

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He said he does not believe his resignation will weaken his position as prime minister at the federal-provincial constitutional conference in February.

Mr. Pearson said the Commons will reassemble after the Christmas holidays in the regular way at a date to be discussed between government House Leader MacEachen and the house leaders of the opposition parties.

To suggestions that he might be inhibited in making cabinet changes or appointments in the months until a convention meets, Mr. Pearson replied that "I'm in no way inhibited in making any changes or appointments" as a result of his decision to step down.

The prime minister looked bright and cheerful sitting behind a table on the stage of the new press conference theatre in the National Press Building, across the street from Parliament Hill.

A surprise announcement that the press conference was to be held was posted in the Parliamentary Press Gallery about an hour before the event. It gave no inkling of the subject.

Lester Bowles Pearson took over the Liberal leadership at a party convention Jan. 16, 1958, following the resignation of Louis St. Laurent.

Seven months earlier, the Liberal government had lost the 1957 election to the Conservatives under John Diefenbaker who formed a minority government.

Mr. Pearson's election as Mr. St. Laurent's replacement came only 36 days after he received the 1957 Nobel Peace Prize for his work in creation of the United Nations Emergency Force that ended the Suez war in Egypt.

He barely had time to settle in as opposition leader when Mr. Diefenbaker called the snap election of March 31, 1958, in which the Conservatives shattered the Liberals with the greatest electoral victory in Canadian history.

The Liberals, who had won 105 seats in the narrow 1957 loss, fell to 49 while the Conservatives rolled up an unprecedented 208.

For four years Mr. Pearson directed a careful rebuilding of his party and in the 1962 election forced the Conservatives back into a minority position. In 1963 the Diefenbaker government lost a confidence vote in the Commons and was forced to call another spring election in which the Liberals scored a minority win.

Mr. Pearson called another election in November, 1965, in an attempt to gain a majority of the 265 Commons seats for his party but again fell short of it.

There had never been much doubt about Mr. Pearson's eventual move to the leadership. In nine years as minister of external affairs he became internationally known as a world trouble-shooter and his famous polka-dot bow tie and boyish grin were almost national symbols.

He spent 21 years in the diplomatic service before the then prime minister, Mackenzie King, appointed him to the cabinet in 1948.

Shortly after Mr. Pearson was sworn in as a cabinet member, a reporter asked him when he had become a Liberal.

"Today," he replied.

He swept the 1958 leadership convention easily on the first ballot, defeating Paul Martin who had been Liberal health minister for years, and took on the external affairs portfolio when Mr. Pearson formed his first government in April of 1963.

Refusal of Arms Angers Portugal

BRUSSELS (CP) — Portugal, a NATO ally, has accused Canada of refusing to supply military equipment to the Portuguese armed forces even though Canada does provide assistance to Tanzania, an emerging African state.

External Affairs Minister Martin said in a statement Foreign Minister Franco Nogueira made the accusation during a NATO council session Wednesday. Martin said the reason for the refusal of arms is because of a United Nations arms limitation imposed against Portugal.

Portugal was reported to have stated that Canada was asked to provide military equipment and spare parts for military aircraft. Canada had requested the usual assurances that such equipment would be used only within the geographic limits of the alliance for purposes of the alliance and Portugal had given these assurances.

Even so, Canada rejected the request, the Portuguese minister is reported to have said. Portugal could only draw two conclusions: Either Canada had no confidence in its NATO ally or did not wish to co-operate with Portugal.

He also is reported to have said that Canada is the only NATO country which has refused supplies even though Canada provides aid to Tanzania without any guarantees.

Little Libau Demands Minister Step Down

LIBAU, Man. (CP)—Resignation of Postmaster-General Cote was demanded today in Libau's continued flap over who should handle the mail.

An accompanying demand in a petition being circulated by a citizens' group is that the government build a separate post office building for the town's 230 population.

The petition says the postmaster-general should resign because he "acted in defiance of a large majority of the people of Libau," in naming Ewald Greening to succeed acting postmaster Ray Gilson.

The appointment moved the post office from Mr. Gilson's grocery store to Mr. Greening's store across the street in this community 38 miles northeast of Winnipeg.

The transfer was delayed by townspeople who prevented postal officials from reaching Mr. Gilson with the necessary transfer papers. When the changeover was finally accomplished, citizens reacted by hiring Mr. Gilson to handle their mail privately—a plan that soon ended with a post office ruling that it was illegal. The ex-postmaster bowed to the ruling.

Thatcher Won't Seek PM's Job

REGINA (CP)—Saskatchewan political leaders today expressed little surprise about Prime Minister Pearson's announcement he was resigning as leader of the Liberal Party.

Premier W. Ross Thatcher immediately laid to rest any speculation that he might seek to succeed Mr. Pearson.

"It is only two months since the people of Saskatchewan re-elected me to lead this government for another four years," he said. "I regard this as my first and sole responsibility and for that reason, I will give no consideration whatsoever to any other political position."

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WEATHER SYNOPSIS

A weak disturbance will give cloudy weather to the northern half of B.C. and some rain is expected on the north coast. Temperatures will also be a little milder in the north.

The ridge of high pressure will remain over southern B.C. and the skies will remain sunny and temperatures cold.

Some cloud will drift into southern B.C. from northern areas but it is expected to be quite thin and patchy.

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Victoria: Mainly sunny Friday. Cold. Winds light at times northeast 15. Low tonight and high Friday, 32 and 43.

Vancouver and Georgia Strait: Mainly sunny Friday. Cold overnight. Winds light. Low tonight and high Friday at Vancouver, 28 and 43; Nanaimo, 23 and 45.

West Coast: Cloudy in the northern part Friday. Elsewhere mainly sunny. Cold. Winds light. Low tonight and high Friday at Tofino, 28 and 45.

TEMPERATURES
Yesterday

	Max.	Min.	Prep.
Victoria	41	32	..
Normal	45	38	..

One Year Ago			
Victoria	52	44	.48
Across the Continent			
Palm Springs	50	33	..
St. John's	37	33	.16
Halifax	49	34	..
Montreal	42	31	..
Ottawa	41	27	..
Toronto	42	29	..
Port Arthur	23	9	..
Winnipeg	11	— 3	..
Regina	9	— 7	.01
Saskatoon	8	— 7	.04
Medicine Hat	18	— 9	..
Lethbridge	19	— 5	..
Calgary	17	1	..
Edmonton	18	3	..
Kamloops	26	13	..
Penticton	30	17	..
Vancouver	40	26	..
Kimberley	18	— 7	..
New Westminster	40	26	..
Prince Rupert	35	31	..
Prince George	10	6	..
Fort St. John	16	7	..
Nanaimo	42	25	..
Whitehorse	37	33	..
Seattle	38	28	..
Portland	39	30	..
Chicago	38	23	..
Los Angeles	49	40	..
New York	58	46	..

World temperatures (based on observations taken at midnight PST): London 37, Paris 41, Rome 41, Berlin 36, Stockholm 30, Moscow 5, Madrid 34, Tokyo 41.

U.S. weather (temperatures for Wednesday): Anchorage 45, 32; Las Vegas 35, 28; Phoenix 48, 35; Washington 61, 41; Honolulu 78, 67; Miami 79, 76; Detroit 43, 28.

CITY'S WEATHER RECORD

Sunshine, Dec.	33.0 hrs.
Last Dec.	15.7 hrs.
Normal (30 years)	27.9 hrs.
Sunshine, 1967	2,149.3 hrs.
Last Year	2,066.7 hrs.
Normal (30 years)	2,168.6 hrs.
Precip., Dec.	1.83 ins.
Last Dec.	1.80 ins.
Normal (30 years)	2.24 ins.
Precip., 1967	29.41 ins.
Last Year	26.77 ins.
Normal (30 years)	24.56 ins.

Sunrise, Sunset Friday
Sunrise 7:59 Sunset 16:18

TIDES AT VICTORIA (Pacific Standard Time)

	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.
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14	10.50	9.3	20.00	1.9	----	----	----	----
15	10.45	9.5	20.35	1.4	----	----	----	----
16	11.05	9.8	21.45	1.1	----	----	----	----
17	11.35	9.9	21.45	1.0	----	----	----	----
18	12.25	10.0	22.20	1.1	----	----	----	----

TIDES AT FULFORD HARBOUR (Pacific Standard Time)

	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.
	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.
14	05.30	10.6	09.25	9.9	13.10	10.6	21.25	2.2
15	06.05	11.2	10.20	10.2	13.15	10.6	21.50	1.7
16	06.50	11.6	11.15	10.4	13.45	10.6	22.20	1.4
17	07.20	11.8	12.05	10.4	14.35	10.6	23.00	1.3
18	08.00	11.8	12.50	10.3	14.45	10.4	23.35	1.3

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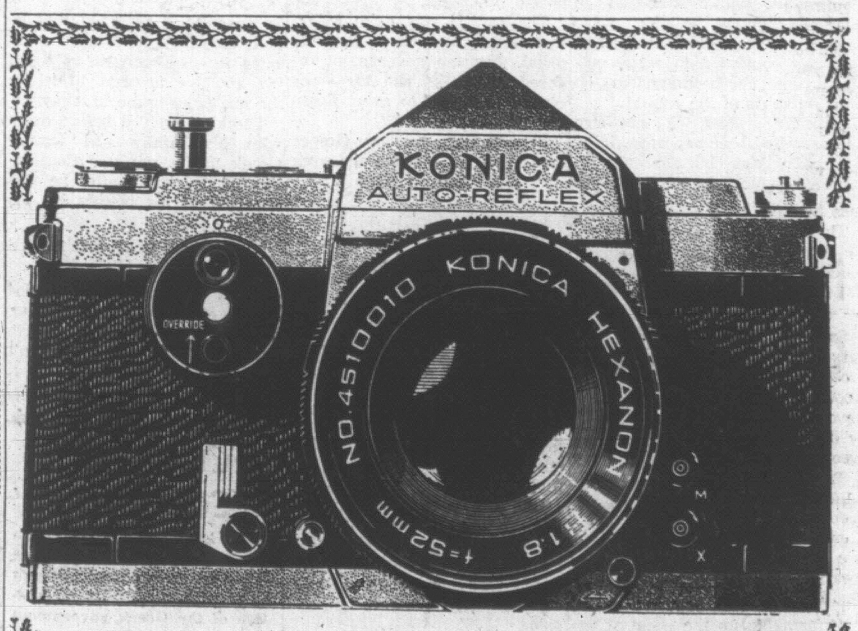

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INDUSTRIALS

A—B

Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
Abitibi	3155	$8¼	8¼	8½	+ ⅛
Acklands	3460	$15¾	15¼	15½	
Alta Gas T	300	$33	32¾	32¾	+ ¼
Alta Gas w	110	610	610	610	+10
Alta Nat	310	$19¾	19¾	19¾	+ ¼
Algo Cent	865	$7¾	7	7	— ¼
Algoma St	8312	$18¾	17¾	18¾	+ ¾
Algonq pr	100	235	225	225	+45
Alcan	7230	$27⅜	27½	27½	
Alcan pr	300	$34¾	34½	34¾	
Alumin 2p	210	$38	38	38	
Anglo-cn	460	$5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	+ ⅛
Ang CT 290	50	$42	42	42	
Ang CT 315	25	$48	48	48	— 1
Anthes A	260	$27¼	27	27	— ⅜
Argus	210	$11	11	11	
Argus C pr	400	$9	8¾	9	+ ⅛
Asbestos	1576	$20¼	20	20	— ¼
Atl Sugar	2925	$11	10¾	10⅞	— ⅛
Auto Elec	1530	$10¼	9⅞	9⅞	— ⅜
BACM Ind	250	$14½	14½	14½	
Bahama	400	66	65	65	
Bank Mtl	7195	$11¼	10⅞	11	— ⅜
Bank N S	3985	$14¼	14	14½	+ ⅛
Bartaco	250	$6¼	6¼	6¼	— ¼
Bathrst p	250	$12⅜	12⅜	12⅜	
Beaver L	6740	$40¾	39½	39⅝	+2⅜
Becker B p	750	$8½	8⅝	8½	+ ⅛
Bell T	14767	$43½	43	43¼	— ¼
Bow Valy	5150	$9⅝	9¼	9⅜	+ ¼
Bow Vly w	1300	640	620	640	+40
Bowater	200	$7	6⅞	6¾	+ ⅛
Bow-m pr	125	$49	49	49	
Bramalea	700	$15	15	15	
Bramal w	103	725	725	725	
Brazilian	2324	$14¼	13⅞	14	
BA Oil	3855	$38⅞	38¼	38⅞	+ ½
BC Forest	935	$17¼	17	17	— ⅛
BC Pack A	275	$16⅞	15⅞	16⅞	
BC Sugar	250	$44	43¾	44⅛	— ⅛
BC Sugar p	150	$38	38	38	
BC Phone	480	$55¼	55¼	55½	— ½
BCPh 6 pr	10	$100	100	100	— ½
BCPh 4¾ p	210	$75¼	75¼	75¼	
BCPh 4½ p	210	$75	75	75	
BCPh 4¾ p	200	$69½	69½	69½	
BCPh 1956	50	$79	79	79	— 1
BCPh 5.15	125	$86¼	86¼	86¼	+1⅛
Brack B	100	$7¼	7¼	7¼	
Buntin Rid	200	$10⅝	10⅝	10⅝	
Burns Fds	690	$19	18¾	18⅞	+ ⅜
Burrard	21	$67	67	67	

C—E

CAE Ind	1365	$10	9⅞	10	+ ⅛
Calgary P	250	$21¼	21⅛	21¼	— ¼
Calgy 540 p	75	$104	104	104	
CD Sugar	720	$23	20¾	23	+2¼
Can Bread	200	$10	10	10	
Can Cem	385	$27½	27	27	— ½
Can Iron	100	$17¾	17¾	17⅞	+ ⅛
Can Malt	300	$22	22	22	
C Packrs A	65	$85¼	85¼	85¼	— 1
C Packrs B	25	$86	86	86	— 2
Can Perm	875	$11	10¾	11	+ ¼
C Safway p	21	$88¼	88¼	88½	
CSL	225	$25	24¾	24¾	+ ¼
Cdn Brew	9200	$7¾	7⅛	7¼	— ⅛
C Brew Ap	21	$32	32	32	
C Brew Bp	75	$42½	42½	42½	
CB Alum A	200	$14¾	14⅜	14¾	— ⅛
Cdn Can A	260	$11¾	11¼	11¼	
C Chem w	4700	210	200	205	+ 5
C Coniaur	2080	85	65	65	—20
C Curtiss	3800	265	260	260	+ 5
Cdn Equty	1300	45¾	5½	5½	— ¼
C Found	370	$6¾	6¼	6¼	
CGE	210	$32	32	32	
CG Invest	28	$54	54	54	
C Goldale	210	$9¼	9¼	9½	
C Imp	15270	$13⅜	13⅜	13⅝	
C Ind Gas	523	$11¾	11⅜	11⅝	— ¼
C Ind Gas p	700	$11	11	11	
CIL	2725	$13⅜	13⅛	13⅜	
C Marconi	1575	$5½	5¼	5⅜	+ ⅛
CP Inve pr	4148	$24½	23⅞	23⅞	— ⅛
CPR	1689	$38	37¾	38	+ ⅜
CPR 300 pr	1205	$10¼	10	10¼	
CPR pr	200	$8½	8¼	8½	
C Petrofin	778	$14⅝	14⅜	13⅝	— ⅛
Cdn Tire	718	$47	43¾	47	
Cdn Tire A	3925	$37	36¼	36½	+ ⅜
C Utilities	1425	$39¼	39	39½	
C Vickrs	100	$7⅜	7⅜	7⅜	+ ⅛
CWN Gas	210	$16½	16⅛	16½	
CWN G 4 pr	297	$12⅝	12⅝	12⅝	
CWN 5½ p	100	$18⅜	18⅜	18⅜	
C Westing	1625	$12⅜	12	12¼	
Conit Bldg	3700	125	115	125	
CDRH Ltd	4760	$6¼	5⅞	6	+ ⅛
Chemcell	5780	$7⅝	7⅛	7¼	— ⅛
CHUM A	520	$21⅛	21¼	21⅜	+ ⅛
Clairton	1080	415	415	425	+25
Clairton w	845	225	200	225	+30
Coch-Dun	25	$27	27	27	— ¼
Columbia	450	375	360	360	—20
Columbi p	100	$14	14	14	
Cominco	3720	$26½	25¼	26⅝	+1¼
Compro	8945	405	395	400	
Computr	450	$13½	11¾	11¾	
Con Bath	1495	$21¾	21⅝	21⅝	+ ⅛
Con Bath w	1700	345	335	335	—20
Con Bldg	650	100	100	100	
Cons Gas	7978	$20¼	20	20	— ⅜
Con Glass	200	$12⅜	12¼	12¼	— ¼
Corby vt	570	$29	27⅞	29	+1⅛
Corby B	155	$28¾	27½	28¾	+1¼
Crain R L	25	$47¼	47½	47¾	
Crwn Trst	275	945	43¼	45	
Crow Nest	225	$21	21	21	
Crush Intl	1270	$11⅜	11⅛	11¼	
Cygnus A	2550	460	430	430	
Cygnus pr	300	$20¼	20	20	— ½
Delta Elec	350	315	315	315	+30
Distl Seag	1095	$39½	38¼	39½	+ ½
Dome Pete	585	$13¼	13⅛	13⅛	
Con Bath p	540	$20¾	20¼	20¼	— ¼
Dom Anzi	100	$16	16	16	
D Bridge	1170	315	14⅜	15	+ ⅜
D Can Gen	100	$7¼	7¼	7¼	
D Dairies	25	$16	16	16	
Dofasco	1296	$20	20	20	— ¼
Dom Glass	200	$8¾	8⅝	8¾	+ ¼
D Magnes	125	$5	5	5	— ¾
Dosco	590	$9¼	9¼	9¼	— ¼
Dom Store	2725	$16	15⅞	16	
Domtar	2740	$10¼	10	10¼	+ ⅛
D Textile	2020	$16	15⅝	15⅝	
Dover Ind	100	$16½	16½	16½	—1½
Dupont	205	$25	24¼	24½	
Eddy Mtch	75	$26½	26¼	26½	
Electro ltd	100	$9¾	9¾	9¾	+ ⅛
Emco	590	$19¼	19	19	— ⅜
Emp Life	100	$9¾	9¾	9¾	+ ⅛
Exquisite	575	465	465	490	+25
Equite pr	225	490	490	490	
Exquisite	505	465	465	490	+25
Exquite pr	205	490	490	490	
Exquite w	100	96	96	96	— 1

F—J

Falcon	1193	$89½	88	89½	+1¾
Fam Play	825	$41¾	41¼	41½	
Fanny	250	$43	43	43	
Fed Grain	1250	$7⅜	7	7⅜	+ ⅜
Fleet Mfg	900	165	155	155	— 5
Ford Cnda	152	$166	165	165½	—1⅜
FPE Pfcn	500	$28	28	28	— ¾
FPE Pn pr	10	$112	112	112	
Fraser	100	$17¾	17¾	17¾	— ⅛
Freiman	100	$7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	
Fruehauf	555	$15⅝	15⅜	15½	— ⅛
GMC	210	$89	89	89	
G P Mfg A	281	$17¼	17	17¼	
G P Mfg B	22	$14	14	14	
G Stl Ware	2100	88	8	8	
Goodyear	25	$192	192	192	
Godyear p	75	$38	38	38	+ 1
GL Paper	7705	$16½	16	16½	
GL Power	375	$19½	19⅜	19⅝	
GNGas A p	210	$21½	21¼	21½	
Gt W Life	465	$33½	33½	33½	+ ¾
Greyhnd	670	$11¾	11¼	11¾	
Guar Trst	470	$9	9	9	+ ⅛
Hardee	1325	30	28	30	
Hard Crp A	325	$11⅝	11½	11⅝	+ ⅛
Harveys F	760	$16	15⅞	16	+ ¼
H Wood b	232	40	40	40	
Hawker S	2450	360	345	350	+ 5
Hawker pr	210	$70½	69	70	
Hays Dna	250	$12⅝	12½	12⅝	
Ho OA	14083	$25¾	25½	25⅝	+ ¼
Home B	675	$27¼	27	27¼	+ ¼
Horne Pit	1325	395	385	395	— 5
H Bav Co	1200	$22⅝	22⅜	22½	
HB Oil Gas	175	$45	44½	44⅝	— ⅛
HB Oil G pr	780	$60½	60	60	— ½
Huron Erl	800	$10	10	10	— ⅛
Husky Oil	9495	$25½	24¾	25	— ⅛
Husky C pr	240	$83	83	83	— 3
Husky D w	3005	$15	14⅜	14⅝	
Imbrex	170	480	470	480	— 1
Imp Life	15	$122	122	122	
Imp Oil	8483	$69¾	69	69	+ ⅛
Imp Tob	1120	$12⅞	12¾	12⅞	+ ⅛
Ind Accept	515	$20¼	20¼	20¼	+ ⅛
Ind Mineri	598	$12⅞	12⅞	12⅞	+ ⅜
Ind Wire	595	390	385	385	— 5
Ingersoll	350	$31	30½	30½	— ½
Inglis	600	$11½	11⅛	11¼	
Inland Gas	320	$9⅞	9¾	9⅞	+ ⅛
Inspiratin	470	110	110	110	+10
Inspiratl p	227	$17¾	17¾	17¾	+ ½
Inter-City	220	$7½	7½	7½	
IBM	24	$695	695	690	
IMC	1020	$39¾	31¾	39¼	+2¼
Int Nickel	1408	$124¾	124¼	124⅝	+ ⅜
Int Util	5570	$41½	41¼	41½	+ ¼
Int Util pr	1465	$41½	41⅜	41½	+ ⅛
Intpr Pipe	4620	$22⅞	22½	22½	
Int Pipe w	985	$70¾	70½	70¾	+ ¾
Io SP	11100	490	465	465	—30
Intpr Stl pr	205	$77½	17½	17½	
Inv G A	67630	$7¾	7½	7¼	+ ⅛
ITL	10098	$16	15	16	+1⅛
ITL Ind pr	250	$23	23	23	
James Stl	7678	425	420	420	
Jefferson	2650	$62	60½	61½	— ¼
Jeffersn w	210	$59¾	59	59	— ¾
Jockey C	3377	285	275	285	+10
Jockey B p	100	$6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	
Jockey 2 p	100	$7	7	7	

K—N

Kelly D A	500	485	485	485	—10
Kelsey H	150	$14	14	14	+ ⅛
Kelvinatr	100	$7½	7½	7½	— ½
Labatt	6432	$13¾	13⅛	13½	+ ½
Lafarge A	700	$10¾	10¾	10¾	+ ⅜
LOnt Cem	3902	320	315	320	
Lambton	100	$5½	5¼	5¼	+ ⅛
Laura Sec	597	$14¼	14	14	— ⅜
Lau Fin	1720	375	370	375	— 5
Lau F 2.00	100	$16⅝	16⅝	16⅝	
Levy	2385	$36½	35¼	36	— ⅝
Levy B pr	175	$31½	31¼	31½	+ ¼
Life Invest	200	$5⅞	5⅞	5⅞	— ⅛
Life Inv wt	350	115	110	110	— 5
Livingstn	125	11	11	11	+ ⅛
Living wts	270	365	365	365	
Lob Co A	940	$6⅝	6⅛	6⅜	+ ⅛
Lob Co B	255	$6¾	6⅜	6⅜	
Lob Co pr	300	$39¼	39⅛	39¼	+ ¼
Lob G A pr	10	$22	22	22	
Lob G B pr	137	$22¾	22⅝	22¾	+ ¼
Loeb M	2785	$13	12⅝	13	+ ⅛
Maclarn B	250	$16½	16½	16½	
Maclean H	250	$60	59½	60	+ 1
MB Ltd	2801	$24¼	24¼	24¼	
Magma El	605	$19¾	19¼	19½	+ ⅛
M Lf Gard	195	$37	36½	37	+ ¼
M Lf Mills	120	$15¼	15¼	15¼	— ¼
Maritime	287	$20¼	20¼	20¼	
Mrtime rts	5766	44	42	42	—
Markboro	5495	$6¼	6	6⅛	— ⅛
Markboro w	900	325	310	325	— 5
Mass-Fer	5404	$16⅛	15¾	15¾	— ⅛
MEPC	200	305	305	305	+ 5
Met Stores	175	$32¼	32	32	
Met Stors p	150	$20	20	20	
MPG Inv	200	475	475	475	
Mit Brick	2250	$5	4⅞	5	
Molson A	2175	$17¾	17⅝	17⅝	
Molson B	200	$18½	18½	18½	— ⅛
Mo nFood	225	$10¼	10¼	10¼	— ⅛
Montex	1200	230	220	230	+10
Montex pr	150	$7¼	7¼	7¼	+ ⅛
M Loco	16700	$15½	14	14¼	— ⅜
Mont Trst	100	$11½	11½	11½	
Moore	5607	$29⅛	29½	29¾	— ⅛
Morse A	2250	$13	12⅞	13⅛	
Morse pr	50	$51¼	51	51¼	—1¼
Morse B pr	75	$51	51	51	— 1
Murphy	4850	$11½	10⅞	11	— ⅛
Mrphy Pr	610	$30½	30	30⅜	+ ⅜
Nabrs Dig	300	410	410	410	—65
Nat Drug	100	$8	9	9	+ ¼
Nat Hees	750	445	445	445	—10
Nat Hees p	100	$10	10	10	
Neon	1300	$10⅜	10½	10½	
Noranda	2736	$52	51¼	51¾	— ¼
Nor Cti G	2355	$11¼	10⅞	10⅞	— ⅛
Nor Cti G p	105	$23¼	23¼	23¼	— ¼
Nor Cti 65p	50	$41¾	41¾	41¾	— ⅛
NCG B 2 p	425	$27⅞	27⅞	27⅞	+ ½
Nor Cti wts	300	400	380	400	

O—S

Ogilvie	3855	$13¾	13½	13¾	+ ⅛
Ont Store	2100	$5¾	5¼	5¾	+ ⅛
Oshawa A	5357	$27½	27¼	27½	+ ⅜
Overland	1220	$11⅛	10½	10⅞	— ¼
Overland pr	204	$11⅜	11¼	11⅜	+ ¼
Poc Pete	1920	$7.9½	19	19	
Pac Pete w	840	365	340	365	+ 5
Pembina	4485	$21½	20⅝	20⅞	+ ⅛
Pembina p	275	$46½	46½	46½	
Phillips Cb	300	$9¾	9¼	9⅝	+ ⅛
Pow Corp	5190	$7¾	7⅝	7⅝	— ⅛
Prem Iron	1000	140	130	140	+ 5
Price Com	560	$9¾	9¾	9¾	— ⅛
QN Gas	1572	$8⅝	8⅜	8⅝	— ⅛
QN Gs 63w	100	250	250	250	
QN Gs 66w	240	230	230	230	
Rnk O A	12989	$6⅝	6⅜	6½	+ ⅛
Rapid Gr A	100	$8¼	8¼	8¼	— ⅛
Reichhold	55	$51½	51½	51½	— ⅝
Revelstk	250	$12¾	12¾	12¾	
Revelstk p	100	$17¼	17¼	17¼	
Revenue	3235	$15⅝	15⅝	15¾	
Revenue w	300	$10½	10½	11½	+ ⅛
R Nodwell	5300	210	180	210	+25
Rockower	900	$11	11	11	+ ⅛
Rolland	320	$7⅝	7⅝	7⅝	+ ⅛
Ronald Fd	125	$15	15	15	
Romfield	5400	10	10	10	
Rothmn	190	$25	24⅞	24⅞	+ ⅜
Roy Plc	12145	$15⅜	15½	15⅝	— ⅛
Royal Trst	890	$17¼	16⅝	16⅞	— ⅛
Ryl T M	275	$16½	16¼	16⅜	+ ⅛
Russell H	400	$14⅝	14¼	14¼	+ ¼
StL Cem A	375	$7	7	7	
StL Cem w	100	150	150	150	—50
StL Corp	757	$21½	21⅝	21⅝	
St Maurice	570	45	45	45	— 1
Sayvette	150	300	300	300	+ 5
Scot York	3610	$14	13½	13⅝	
Seaway H	1050	$5	5	5	— ⅛
Secur Cap	3725	200	200	200	— 5
Select Les	100	190	190	190	+10
Selkirk A	620	$15½	15¼	15½	+ ⅜
Shell Inv p	7475	$9¾	9¾	9¾	
Shell Inv	11248	$17	16½	16⅝	
Shell Oil	32225	$23⅞	23¼	23⅜	+ ⅛
Shop Save	407	$13⅜	11½	11⅞	+ ⅛
Shopper Ct	575	460	450	460	—65
Shully's	300	300	300	300	—10
Silverwd B	240	$15½	14½	15½	
Simpsons	857	$35½	35	35½	+ ⅝
Simpson S	575	$24½	24	24½	+ ½
Slater Stl	670	$10¼	10	10¼	+ ⅛
Sogemine	255	$14¾	14½	14¾	
Southern	145	146	145½	146	
ST Radio	80	$33½	33½	33½	
Steel Can	3156	$20¾	20	20¼	
Steinbg A	2370	$17	16¾	16¾	— ⅛
Stuart H pr	2200	$7½	7½	7½	
Supstr com	210	4.5	4.5	4.5	
Supteat od	925	$27	26½	26½	+ ⅛

T—Z

Tancord p	200	250	250	250	
Texaco	2513	$32	31	31½	+ ⅜
Thom Npr	125	$39¾	39¾	39¾	+ ⅜
TT Tallors	100	$33¼	33¼	33¼	— ⅜
Tone Craft	800	$8	8	8	+ ⅛
Tor Dm Bk	8335	$15¾	15⅜	15½	— ⅛
Towers	100	20	20	20	— 4
Traders A	775	$7¾	7¾	7¾	+ ⅛
Traders 5 p	100	$36	36	36	— 1
Trader 66 w	125	130	130	130	+10
Trader 66 w	1000	220	210	220	+30
Transair	1010	$6½	6¼	6¼	+ ⅛
Tr Can PL	1606	$26½	26¼	26½	+ ⅛
Tr Can Pl p	120	$43¾	43¾	43¾	— ⅛
Tr Can P w	255	25	25	25½	— ½
Trans Mt	3110	$18⅝	18⅜	18⅝	+ ⅜
Trans PPL	2980	$8¾	9½	9¾	
Tru-Wall	100	200	200	200	
UnAcc 2p	100	330	330	330	
Un Carbid	1180	$6	15¾	15¾	— ⅛
Un Gas	7825	$6¼	14⅜	15¼	+ ⅛
Union Oil	400	$37	36	37	+ ⅛
Un Wbern	2231	$8¼	8	8¼	+ ⅛
UWbn 6½p	200	240	40	40	
Un Wbn wt	1900	530	500	520	+25
U Sections	190	$6½	6¼	6¼	
Vascan	700	$6¼	6¼	6¼	
Versafd	1677	$12⅝	12	12⅜	+ ⅜
Venez pr	200	275	275	275	
Versatile	475	$13⅜	13⅛	13⅜	— ⅜
Versatil A	250	$11½	11	11	
Vic G Tr	2109	$12¾	12¼	12¼	
Wajax	200	$18½	18½	18½	— ½
Wainoco	4400	88	95	96	— 1
Walk GW	1170	$33¼	33	33	— ¼
Weldwod	485	$10¾	10¾	10¾	— ¼
Weste'st	2849	$23¾	23	23¾	+ ⅛
West Ind	400	240	235	235	+10
Westeel	210	$19	19	19	
W Bridcast	425	$17¾	17½	17¾	+ ¼
W Cdn Seed	1200	300	285	300	+ 5
W Pacific	3095	$9¾	9¾	9¾	
Weston A	3970	$5⅝	5⅜	5⅝	— ⅛
Weston B	170	$16½	16½	16½	— ¼
Wstn 4½p	25	$72	72	72	
Wstn 6pr	210	$95	95	95	
White Pas	400	$27¾	27½	27¾	+ ⅛
Woodwd A	940	$17¾	17½	17⅞	
Zellers	175	$35½	35	35½	+ 1
Zenith	200	195	195	195	— 5

FOREIGN TRADING

Cdn Chm wts	300	275	275	275	—150
Alminex	200	650	650	650	+215
Place Gas	300	205	205	205	—10
Agnico	500	142	142	142	—13
Aunor	400	275	275	275	—25
Brunswk	200	540	540	540	—10
Kerr Addison	100	$17¾	17¾	17¾	+1½
L Dufault	250	$10¾	10¾	10¾	+ ⅛
Leitch G	200	$11¼	11¼	11¼	+ ¼
Northgat	1850	$14	13⅞	14	
Porcupin	140000	$9½	9½	9½	— ½
Silverfields	400	500	500	500	—25
Siscoe	500	475	475	475	+30
Tech Corp	300	500	500	500	—50
Un Keno	2400	835	835	835	+35

MINES

A—B

Acad Uran	3300	5½	5½	5⅝	+ ⅛
Accra	4000	11	11	11	
Acme Gas	7000	17	17	17	
Advocate	4300	290	265	290	+30
Agena Mg	6501	13	12	12½	+ ⅛
Agnico	500	148	148	148	
Akaitcho	6500	45	45	45	+ 3
Am Larder	1033	30	30	30	
Am Moly	1100	28	28	28	
Ang Ruyn	4450	95	87	95	+ 9
Anz UD	13850	72	70	70	— 2
Area	400	300	295	295	— 5
Argosy	23200	58	53	53	
Arcadia	2500	$4½	34	34	— 1
Atl C Cop	1500	68	66	66	— 2
Aunor	1700	276	260	270	+10
Bankeno	1800	104	102	102	— 3
Bankfield	2100	6½	6¼	6¼	
Barex	1000	34	34	34	— 2
Barnat	1050	33½	33	33	— 2
Bary Expl	2100	23	23	23	
B-Dqu	2300	13	12	12	
Belcher	2800	34	32	32	
Belletere	1000	22½	22½	22½	— ½
Bethlhm	6485	770	760	765	
BL Hawk	6000	34	33	33	
Bralorne	1250	210	195	200	—15
Br Reef	19500	29½	28	29	— ½
Brunswk	2475	505	500	500	
Bunker H	2200	13½	13½	13½	

C—E

Calmor IB	200	110	110	110	+ 2
Camflo	3100	380	370	380	+ 5
Camp Chib	400	730	730	730	+10
Camp RL	735	$30⅜	26	28½	— ½
C Tung	1600	245	245	245	— 1
C Dyno	4510	219	215	218	
C Jamiesn	2400	87	87	87	
Cdn Keely	4000	6¼	6⅛	6½	
C Nisto	24000	50	45	49	+ 2
Candore	6833	12½	12⅜	12½	— ⅛
Can-fer	2400	87	87	87	
Cantri	3250	14	13½	13⅝	— ⅛
Captain	2000	14½	14½	14½	
Cassiar	160	$17½	17½	17½	— ⅛
Cent Pat	2350	150	147	150	
Chestrvile	9000	27	25	26	
Chib-K	15000	18	17½	17½	— ½
Chib M	2300	53	53	53	
Chim	13250	138	130	131	+ 1
Chrom	100	135	135	135	— 5
Coch Will	2200	113	105	105	—10
Coin Lake	1000	19	19	19	— 1
Comb Met	1500	17	17	17	— 1
Conigo	18300	33	28	28	— 3
C Shawkey	3500	21½	21	21	— 1
C Bell	18800	15½	13	15½	+2½
C Callinan	1000	11	11	11	
Con Fardy	2400	267	267	267	
Con Gillies	1500	6	6	6	
CG Arrow	1000	22½	22½	22½	+1¼
C Hall	20470	62	53	55	— 6
C Marben	3020	510	505	510	
C Morisn	4220	425	395	400	—30
C Neg	14700	73	71	71	— 1
C Rambler	1050	50	50	50	+ 3
C Red P	11000	24½	23½	24	
Conwest	275	630	630	630	+10
Coprcorp	8150	51	48	50	+ 4
Cop Fields	2301	129	126	128	
Cop Man	7500	29	29	29	— 1
Coulee	1000	45	45	45	+ 1
Courvan	1570	12½	12½	12½	— ½
Craigmt	1560	$12¼	12	12	
Cstland	3749	24½	24	24	
Crowpat	5200	8	8	8

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Arthur Mayse

The ideal adoption, I suppose, is the one in which a little pink baby is delivered straight from hospital to the eager couple. This, however, is a less than ideal world, and our son Ron was two years and five months old before he came to enrich our lives.

Unless you have been on the firing-line yourself, you can have no idea of the extent to which a child is moulded in those crucial beginning years.

Here a warning to those who contemplate adopting a child who has left babyhood behind.

Unless you are willing to commit yourselves utterly—unless you can bring love, patience and stamina to the never-easy job of being parents—leave the challenge of adoption to those who can meet it. But let me also assure you that there's no undertaking on earth more rewarding.

In the give and take of family life, mistakes are going to be made. The parent-by-adoption needn't be afraid of making them; but here is one pitfall to be avoided at all costs.

For his sake and yours, let the child know he is adopted. Do this casually and with proper pride, as soon as he's old enough to understand. Sidestep this necessity, and you guarantee him and yourself future hurt.

Someone, somewhere, is sure to confront him with the fact. His reaction then will be this:

"My people lied to me. They're ashamed of me."

I know men and women who still remember the shock of such discoveries with bitterness.

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Last night I asked Ron what we, as adoptive parents, should have done differently.

He was busy as always—find me the teacher who isn't—but he turned from the door, and came over and sat down with us.

He gave us a slow, indulgent grin.

"As parents," he corrected me, "what would you have done differently?"

Then, a man looking back, he talked about adoption as he has lived it.

"Being adopted didn't cause me any grief at school. I never made a secret of it. I was proud of being chosen.

"My only regret is that I don't know what my history was before you two became my parents. It's like losing a piece of your life." He considered a moment, then said, 'Yes, I'd like to learn, and I'd hold no grudges. Why should I, the way things have worked out for me?"

Ron looked at his watch, and got up.

"Hey, he said, no longer serious, "warn 'em to be prepared for the good old line, 'Why did you adopt me . . . just to be a slave?' "

We laughed, and Ron gave us the big grin. He delivered a peck to his mother's cheek, tapped me on top of my head where life's wear and tear has caused a slight thinning, then took himself off to his car.

As I noted earlier, adoption has its rich rewards.

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The process by which a child in need of a mother and father finds them is loudly and frequently criticized on the grounds that it moves too slowly.

It could be shortened somewhat if more funds, which would mean larger staffs, were available to the agencies concerned.

These in turn point out that would-be parents are frequently responsible for the delays about which they complain. After all, if you insist on a dear little baby girl of the precisely "right" racial stock, you must expect to wait for the required combination.

But my purpose here is not to criticize. What I very much hope to do is convince any childless couples who read this that by adopting they will not step into some strange, frightening country where all the rules of parenthood are different.

For any who are capable of loving, and eager for the responsibilities, worries and joys adoption has brought Win and me, I have this message:

Come on in . . . The water's fine!

IT'S TOUGH SWIMMING for ducks in Beacon Hill's Goodacre Lake when temperature dips below freezing. But at least the crusts cast by well-wishers dont' get soggy. Weather records show a grass-level 24 degrees overnight. In Tillicum area it was 22 at ear level. Friday there will be some clouding and southeast breezes to make the air milder. No snow is predicted.

MOLLY JUSTICE CASE

Court to Order Perjury Trial

Frank Hulbert, 41, of Port Alberni is to be committed for trial Monday on a charge of perjury.

Hulbert is charged in connection with the 1943 murder trial of William Mitchell. Mitchell was charged with slaying 15-year-old Molly Justice in January, 1943, but he was acquitted.

A juvenile testified at the 1943 trial Mitchell had told him he had killed the girl. Wednesday, former prosecutor Claude Harrison testified "I would say he (Hulbert) is the same young man who gave evidence" in 1943.

The hearing concluded today after testimony from Saanich detective Ronald Coulter regarding the arrest of Hulbert on the perjury charge October 27.

Magistrate Ostler indicated his intention to commit Hulbert for trial, and defence counsel Jack Gatehouse requested the committal be delayed to Monday.

The Magistrate agreed. Hulbert has selected trial by judge and jury.

Dancer to Perform For Silver Threads

MARILYN SOMMERS
. . . home for visit

A Victoria girl who danced in the city's centennial pageant in August, 1962, and then married its director, is returning here next week.

Marilyn Sommers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sommers, 2400 Cedar Hill Cross Road, was starrred in the big show at Royal Athletic Park marking Victoria's 100th birthday as a city.

Three months later she married Dudley Remus, a professional pageant director, who was hired from the United States as director and scriptwriter of the centennial spectacular.

Since their marriage at St. George's Anglican Church, Cadboro Bay, they have lived at Longview, Texas, where Mr. Remus operates a playhouse and Mrs. Remus conducts a dancing school.

Returning to Victoria Wednesday, to spend Christmas with her parents, Mrs. Remus will dance at the Christmas concert in the Silver Threads Centre the same afternoon.

Don Gray, who organizes the weekly concerts at Silver Threads, is confident Marilyn will get a warm reception from the 400 old-timers expected next Wednesday at 2 p.m.

She was a pupil and later a teacher at the Bebe Eversfield School of Dancing in Victoria, and it was this association which led to her appearance in the Centennial pageant.

Her husband was a professional actor in Florida and Hollywood before he became a director for the John B. Rogers Company, which sent him to Victoria.

Ask The Times

Q. Where is folk singer Jimmy Rodgers, who was recently injured? J.K.

A. He is in hospital in Glendale, California.

Q. When was petroleum first discovered in B.C.? P.M.

A. In 1951 in the Peace River District, according to B.C. government officials.

Q. Who were lieutenant-governor and premier of B.C. in 1871? M.W.

A. Sir Joseph Trutch was lieutenant-governor and J. F. McCreight was premier.

Anyone wishing a question answered is invited to send the question along to the Times, addressed to "Ask the Times" Editor. Questions and answers will be published daily.

All questions should deal with matters of fact and be of general interest. The Times does not undertake to solve conundrums or legal problems. Nor will it attempt to put a value on old coins, stamps or antiques. These should be submitted to a dealer.

PROVINCE-WIDE PETITION PREPARED

Social Workers Slam 'Low' Welfare Grants

A statement of protest against low social assistance rates is being prepared by a group of social workers here.

Drawn up by the Social Action Committee of the Vancouver Island Branch, B.C. Social Workers Association, the declaration is being signed by association members here and elsewhere in the province.

Committee chairman Reg Clarkson said his committee intends giving wide public circulation to the protest in an attempt to win support to submissions which have been made repeatedly to the provincial government.

All signatories have worked a year or more in public welfare offices.

CONCERNED

The statement reads in part:

"We the undersigned are very concerned about the hardship and degradation of families and individuals who are receiving social assistance payments.

"These payments in our opinion have been too low in the past five years to permit the normal decent living that is set out in the Social Welfare Act of B.C.

"Many professional studies have shown that rates of payment over the past five years have been so low as to cause extreme hardship for the recipients. Since the last increase in rates, in June, 1965, there has been a nine per cent increase in the cost-of-living index.

ALLOWANCES

"The minister of social welfare has defended his decision not to establish a professionally competent group to determine what the rates should be, by saying each case is treated individually and overage allowances ensure that no person suffers extreme hardship.

"It is our experience that overage allowances (extra payments above basic rates to meet emergency needs) are not applied in this way.

"All clients are expected to lie within the rates and only rarely are overage allowances approved.

"The administration process also defeats the use of overages because the time and paperwork involved are prohibitive for workers with large caseloads."

In Victoria last weekend the Times outlined the living conditions of a widow and her eight children whose welfare income amounted to $32 per person per month—less than half the amount paid for children in foster home care.

Damages Award $70,000

RCMP Man Blamed As Cyclist Dies

A woman whose husband died following an accident on Vancouver Island involving an RCMP car has been awarded $70,000 in damages from the constable driving the car.

The award was made to Port Alberni widow Johanna Paulina McVey by the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Mrs. McVey sued as the executor of the estate of her husband, David Sidney McVey, who was driving a motorbike.

DRIVER OF THE CAR

Constable Larry Kenneth Wagner, 20, of Port Alberni, was driver of the car. The collision was near Parksville on Dec. 15, 1966.

Supreme court found Wagner 70 per cent responsible and McVey 30 per cent to blame.

NEGLIGENT

The jury said the constable was negligent in driving without consideration for adverse weather and road conditions.

McVey was declared negligent for driving his motorcycle too close to the centre line of the road at a low speed.

The police car struck the motorcycle from the rear.

A provincial RCMP spokesman said RCMP cars are not covered by standard insurance policies but claims of this type are usually met by a federal government fund.

Men Jailed Three Years For Break-In

Two man were sentenced to three years each in the penitentiary after they were found guilty in central court today of breaking into the Royal Canadian Navy Sailing Association Nov. 23.

William Goetkin, 24, 3229 Doncaster, and Patrick Foley, 19, 512 Menzies, had pleaded not guilty.

Five bottles of liquor and over $100 in cash were taken from the association's clubhouse at 1001 Maplebank.

Magistrate Ostler praised the work of Saanich detective Herbert Clarke who pieced together the evidence.

Det. Clarke matched a fingerprint on glass from a window broken in the robbery with Goetkin's print. He also matched material found imbedded in gloves taken from a car in which the two accused were passengers, with building material around the window.

Both the accused have criminal records and were released from prison last September.

Allen Resigns From Police Commission

One member of the three-man Esquimalt Police Commission submitted his resignation to Commission chairman Ray Bryant Wednesday.

William Allen, 1060 Craigflower, who completes his second two-year term this month said his resignation was personal and had nothing to do with the Macdonell report, which was critical of some policies of the force.

"The commission was unanimous on the handling of the Macdonell Report and it has absolutely nothing to do with my decision," Mr. Allen said today.

Reeve Ray Bryant said Allen was up for re-appointment this month "and he simply has indicated he does not wish to be re-appointed."

The Reeve said a new commission member will be named at the first meeting of the municipal council in the new year.

CIVIL SERVANTS

Pay Boost Not Ruled Out, Says Bennett

By JOHN MIKA

Premier Bennett today softened his apparent refusal to raise civil service salaries in the wake of suggestions some of the government's 23,000 employees might strike.

He also re-emphasized that the current volatile economic situation will force him to leave some decisions to the last minute before he delivers his budget speech Feb. 9.

Mr. Bennett said it should be remembered that he only declared Tuesday that he had no announcement to make at the annual civil service luncheon in the Empress Hotel, at which he has announced wage increases in the past five years.

The premier was interviewed by telephone in Vancouver where he was to preside at a similar government luncheon for mainland long-service government employees today.

He said "that's a natural reaction" when asked for comment on B.C. Government Employees Association secretary E. P. O'Connor's statement that the premier's Tuesday speech could result in a civil service strike if it means no wage increases in 1968.

AWAIT BUDGET

"Everybody wants to get answers on government policy before the budget," said Mr. Bennett.

"But this is a little different type of year and that's why I dind't say (Tuesday) what we would do.

"You should look at my words very carefully. You'll notice I dind't make any announcement —one way or the other."

(Mr. Bennett Tuesday told civil servants that B.C. is fighting a war against inflation and "for that reason I'm not going to make the usual announcement.")

"I'm not making any announcements about many things —what we're going to do about the municipalities, about the school district grants, about highways, about the homeowners' grant.

"Everybody wants the answer but it'll all be in the budget."

Runaway Car Causes Pile-Up

Police estimated $1,700 damage was caused when a car rolled from its driveway and damaged three parked vehicles.

Police said a car owned by Henrike Rosenbeck, 1803 Belmont, rolled from its driveway west down Begbie and struck a car owned by Edward Wood, 1702 Belmont, parked on the north side of the road, Wednesday night.

This car was pushed into a second car—owned by Mr. Wood. The second car was pushed into a third owned by William Colley, 16 Lewis St.

District-Wide Rally Gets Nod

PREPARING for two-day Christmas festival in Victoria's Sikh Temple, 1210 Topaz Avenue, is Dalip Singh Sidhu (left), priest of the temple, and his helper, Banta Singh Sihota. More than 500 Sikhs are coming from many parts of British Columbia to participate in continuous 48-hour worship beginning at 10 a.m. Friday, December 22, and ending at 10 a.m. December 24. All through the two days and nights, a relay of priests will read non-stop from the Granth Sahib (holy book) seen above. Sikhs worship one God, Akalpurakh, as the universal spirit and recognize Christ as a divinity. (Photo by Halkett.)

February Session At Uvic

Greater Victoria's first full-fledged conference between labor, management and representatives from all levels of government will be held in mid-February.

Ald. Ian Stewart, who first broached the idea of a conference last Monday, said the half-day meeting will be held at the University of Victoria.

Ald. Stewart had hoped to reveal the full format of the conference at city council this afternoon, but at press time said he had been unable to tie down a few minor details.

But, following a one-hour discussion with Mayor Hugh Stephen and city manager Dennis Young this morning, Ald. Stewart said he had received tentative approval for his program and his suggestions on members of the panel.

"Mayor Stephen has agreed to take part in the discussions and I think this is most important," Ald. Stewart said. "As the mayor of the capital city of British Columbia his presence will add a great deal of dignity to the proceedings."

One of the details yet to be confirmed is an invitation to Dr. Malcolm Taylor of the University of Victoria to be chairman of the conference.

"I have extended an invitation to the university to have a representative on the panel and also to Dr. Taylor to be general chairman,'

ALL DISTRICTS

Also to be invited to the conference will be the reeves of all regional municipalities and a representative from organized labor, possibly Laurence Ryan, secretary-treasurer of the Victoria Labour Council.

Ald. Stewart said he would strike a committee within the next few days to organize an agenda for the conference.

"The main objective of the conference is fairly obvious. We want to open a frank discussion on the economic future of Greater Victoria and see if we can't find a pattern of objective development over the next five or 10 years.

"It is a subject with which we are all vitally concerned and I am sure that by bringing together a good cross-section of the community we may be able to come up with some answers."

MANY INVITATIONS

In addition to municipal leaders, district members of parliament and members of the legislative assembly will be invited to participate.

Ald. Stewart said he had alreday received solid pledges of support from the Victoria Chamber of Commerce and the labour council plus independent approval from several local businessmen.

The general format of the meeting will be for the representatives of each group to take 30 minutes to outline their problems and suggestion for the future. At the conculsion of all speeches the meeting will be open for panel discussion.

STUDENTS INVITE ADULTS

Massed Sing-Along Planned at Square

The spirit of November's March for Millions is far from dead.

Students are inviting the adult community to a massed Christmas carol sing-song in Centennial Square Dec. 22.

They hope it will produce some of the phenomenal spirit which brought 10,000 young and old out marching in Victoria last month to raise money for a Centennial youth project.

Bands from Victoria High, Oak Bay Senior and Junior secondary schools and Central Junior will be on hand to provide the music.

The program, expected to last about an hour, gets under way at 3 p.m. and students will be handing out carol sheets to the shopping public to join in.

The carol sing-along will come on the last day of exams for the students, said Reg Reid, vice-principal at Vic Hi. They hope to make it an annual event.

The four bands will provide about 250 young musicians, boys and girls. They won't be in uniform and will mix with the carolers.

Directing them will be Axel Waldhaus, music director at Vic Hi, and Dave Dunnett, who holds the same position with the Oak Bay schools.

"It's a chance for a final Centennial tribute from youth," said Mr. Reid. He said the youngsters also want to extend the spirit of harmony the Project 100 walk aroused.

Victoria's turnout in the march Nov. 25 surpassed all others in communities across Canada this year.

WOMEN FAIL SHOPPING TEST

Housewives may consider themselves good shoppers, but farmers have their own opinions.

Alan Barker, manager of the Vancouver Island Co-Operative Market Board, told an Agricultural Outlook Conference at Courtenay this week he tested the shopping abilities of women in a chain store and he wasn't impressed.

He placed side by side two 10-pound packages of potatoes under different labels and marked up the sale prices as 49 and 59 cents.

The potatoes were exactly the same, but the 59-cent packages sold.

"It wasn't the label," he said, because the next day I changed the prices around and the 59 cent spuds were still the big sellers."

He said he had the same results with other vegetables.

"I wish I could understand the psychology of packaging," he said. "It may be that housewives may be a bit lazy or under the impression the higher the price the better the product."

Buying vegetables in bulk or from an open bin was cheaper, he said, but shoppers preferred packaged goods.

The Grass Goes in Here And Milk Comes Out There

British Columbia has numerous successful dude ranches; why not dude dairy farms as well.

The suggestion was made at an Agricultural Outlook Conference as a means of acquainting people of what is involved in the production of milk and farming in general.

The general feeling was that many people, especially in a large city like Vancouver, have no idea where milk comes from and the mechanics involved in running a dairy farm.

One grower pointed out that a survey conducted in Chicago showed that some people don't know that vegetables are grown in the ground. The believed them to be machine made.

Alec Turner, deputy minister of agriculture, felt that the idea was worth pursuing.

"I know that every dairy couldn't cater to visitors, just as every ranch can't be a dude ranch" he said. "But some farms would be suitable."

He felt it was practical and would provide visitors with a wider knowledge of farming. It could also be made as attractive as dude ranching.

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'GENTLEMAN BANDIT' ON SCHEDULE

JOLIETTE, Que. (CP)—The "gentleman bandit" has pulled his annual Christmas holdup in this area for the third year, getting away with $3,000 from a credit union here, police said today.

A year ago he held up the same credit union and got about the same amount.

Pearson Remains as PM Until Successor Chosen

FINAL ★★★★ BULLETINS

Senate Approves Death Penalty Bill

OTTAWA (CP)—The Senate voted 40 to 27 today to approve in principle the government's bill abolishing capital punishment except for murderers of police officers and prison guards. (See earlier story Page 3.)

Massive Raids Reported on Hanoi

SAIGON (AP)—Dispatches from Hanoi reported United States jet squadrons, whose combat missions have been restricted recently by monsoon clouds over North Vietnam, staged a massive raid today on Hanoi and its outskirts.

Leafs Fined by Angry Imlach?

TORONTO (CP)—Manager-coach Punch Imlach, of Toronto Maple Leafs, refused to comment today on a report that he fined every member of his National Hockey League team $100 after their 2-1 loss Wednesday night to Pittsburgh Penguins.

The Telegram says Imlach posted notice of the fines on the blackboard in the team's dressing-room after the game, but it was wiped off before reporters were allowed to enter.

Decision No Surprise To Bennett

Little surprise and not much comment on Prime Minister Pearson's announcement was expressed today by provincial politicians.

Premier Bennett said he was not surprised at all but emphasized it was a Liberal party problem which did not affect the B.C. government because Mr. Pearson remains prime minister.

B.C. Liberal Leader Ray Perrault, in a telephone interview from Kitimat, said "I think history is going to record him as one of the greatest prime ministers of all time, despite any current assessment.

"I regret Mr. Pearson's departure from the scene very much but Liberals will now have to turn their thoughts to the future and I expect the next few months are going to be very exciting indeed."

'SHOULD DISBAND'

Opposition Leader Robert Strachan said the Liberal party should disband, rather than replace Mr. Pearson, in order to give the New Democratic Party a better chance to form the next government.

B.C. Liberal Association president Lawrence Jolivet, of Vancouver, said Mr. Pearson's resignation was not unexpected.

He added his association will avoid expressing a formal view regarding a successor until a leadership meeting is held.

Resources Minister Ray Williston said Mr. Pearson's decision was understandable but regrettable because it could

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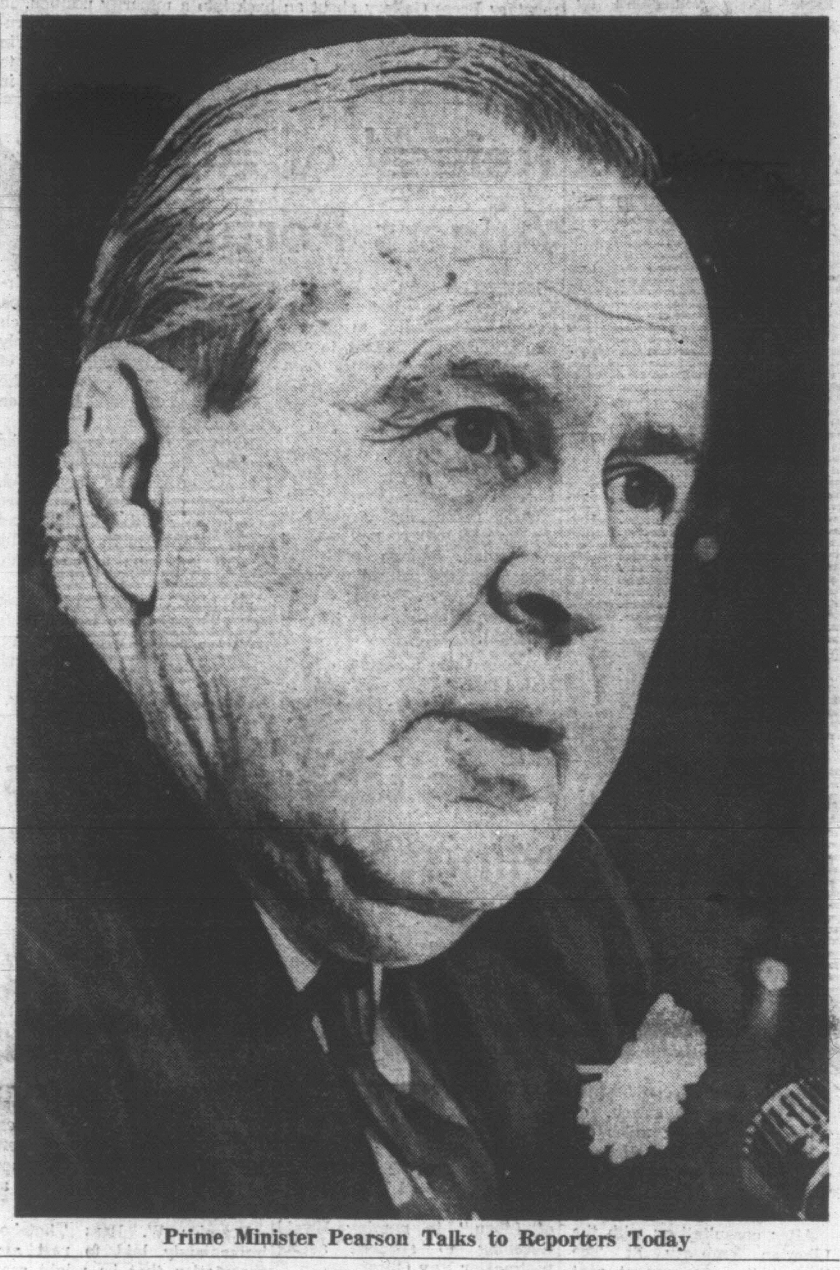

Prime Minister Pearson Talks to Reporters Today

Resignation As Leader Set

OTTAWA (CP) — Prime Minister Pearson announced today he has decided to resign as leader of the Liberal party but will continue as prime minister and party leader until a convention selects a successor.

The 70-year-old prime minister dropped the bombshell announcement at a press conference, reading a letter in which he asked Senator John Nichol, president of the Liberal Federation of Canada, to call a convention.

He said the convention is expected by April and that the new leader will take over almost immediately as prime minister.

Mr. Pearson said he will not be a candidate in the next election but will remain as an MP for the life of this Parliament, which was elected in 1965.

He said he had decided it is "an appropriate time to take this step."

Mr. Pearson's resignation has been rumored for a year or more. But when the announcement came, it caught Ottawa with dramatic suddenness.

Among those who have been prominently mentioned as possible successors are External Affairs Minister Paul Martin, 64, Finance Minister Mitchell Sharp, 56, Transport Minister Paul Hellyer, 44, Health Minister Allan MacEachen, 46, and Registrar-General John Turner, 38.

Other names in speculation are Trade Minister Winters, 57, Manpower Minister Marchand, 49, and Justice Minister Trudeau, 46.

'Convinced Decision is Right'

Mr. Pearson read his letter, which said in part:

"I have reached this decision with great regret, but I am convinced it is the right one."

He said he has been prime minister for almost five years, party leader for 10 years, MP for Algoma East for 19 years, and a public servant for 40 years.

"No leader of a political party could have received more loyalty, support and friendship than I have. For that, and for the opportunity to serve my country through the party, I will always be deeply grateful."

"When the time comes for me to leave the leadership, my wife and I will be retiring to our little rose-covered cottage in Rockliffe," Mr. Pearson said.

The Pearsons bought a home in the suburban community some months ago.

Asked whether he will express any preference about a successor, Mr. Pearson replied:

"I will indicate in no way any preference for a successor and I will have no part in this aspect of party activities."

He said that from his discussions with Senator Nichol he understands it will take three or four months to set up a leadership convention.

Senator Nichol said the Liberal leadership convention probably would be held in Ottawa next March or April.

An executive meeting of the Liberal federation had been called for this Sunday in Ottawa and a definite decision would be announced Monday on the time and location of the convention.

Always Intended to Quit This Year

Mr. Pearson, replying to a reporter's question, said he had always intended to hand in his resignation this year.

At first he thought he would step down in the spring or early summer but the "pleasant" pressure of Centennial Year engagements prompted him to put it off until now.

Mr. Pearson concluded the press conference with the words: "Well, c'est la vie." (That's life).

He said he does not have the slightest misgivings that cabinet ministers who may be seeking the leadership will stay in Ottawa as ministers and MPs to carry on the government's work.

At another point, he said he does not want to scoop his own autobiography.

He and John Diefenbaker might meet each other on the daily walks in suburban Rockcliffe to discuss how their respective memoires were progressing, he said jokingly.

He recalled that his first motion as Liberal leader in the Commons—in January, 1958—was not the high spot of his career.

"I had no place to go but up," he said.

The motion in question was one in which he called on the Conservatives to resign and hand back government reins to the Liberals without an election.

Mr. Pearson said with a chuckle that he and Mr. Diefenbaker might be members on the same parliamentary committees.

He said he expects to be active in Canada's political affairs in the next three or four months, particularly affairs dealing with constitutional questions.

Mr. Pearson said he believes the process of constitutional change has begun. He hoped it would continue to strengthen national unity and every other aspect of Canadian life.

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GREEK KING FLEES

Junta Crushes Abortive Coup

By PHILIP DOPOULOS

ATHENS (AP) — Greece's military regime today crushed the last remnants of a counter-coup led by King Constantine and began a roundup of suspected royalist officers and rightist politicians.

The 27-year-old king, stripped of his power and with his day-old dream of ousting the military government shattered, fled to Rome with his family.

Col. George Papadopoulos, strong man of the military regime and new premier, announced in a broadcast that Lt.-Gen. George Zoitakis, undersecretary of national defence, had been installed as regent.

Papadopoulos later told reporters the constitutional monarchy would be preserved and the king had voluntarily surrendered his functions.

Papadopoulos said the military government knew nothing in advance of the king's intentions Wednesday when he broadcast an appeal to Greeks to oust the military government and restore freedom.

"And I admit that had we known of his plans we would have tried at the very last minute to enlighten him and prevent him from going astray," he added. "The whole action is inconceivable to us."

Greeks learned late in the day that their king had fled. Papadopoulos' news conference was broadcast by Athens radio reporting the royal family, Premier Constantine Kollias and some officers had flown secretly to Rome.

King 'Welcome' in Denmark

In an early-morning broadcast, Papadopoulos declared that the "anti-nationalist conspiracy has been crushed. The conspirators have been ousted."

Meanwhile, Constantine met in the Greek embassy in Rome with Kollias and loyal officers.

There were various reports that he would go to France, Britain, or Denmark. Since his wife, Anne-Marie, is a daughter of Denmark's King Frederik IX and Queen Ingrid, Denmark was a likely choice.

Prime Minister Jens Otto Krag of Denmark said in Copenhagen the Greek royal family would be welcome if it decided to settle in Denmark.

Less than 24 hours after Constantine called Wednesday on his people to revolt against the ruling colonels in Athens, troops and armored carriers that had ringed the junta headquarters in the Parliament building, were removed. However, armed guards continued to stand outside defence headquarters on the outskirts of the capital.

Military units in northern Greece had been reported siding with the king, but the only reported fighting on the mainland was at Elefsis Air Force base southwest of Athens. Two army captains attempting to board a plane there for northern Greece were reported shot by troops loyal to the government, and

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TEXT OF LETTER

OTTAWA (CP) — Text of Prime Minister Pearson's letter today to Senator John Nichol, president of the Liberal Federation of Canada:

I wish to inform you of my decision, taken after lengthy and serious consideration, to resign from the leadership of our party. I feel that this is the appropriate time for me to take this step.

I do not need to tell you that I have reached this decision with great regret but I am convinced that it is the right one. I will soon have been in public service for 40 years, 19 of those years as member of Parliament for Algoma East, and, for the last 10, I have had the great honor and privilege to be the leader of the Liberal party; and for nearly five years the prime minister of our country.

No leader of a political party could have received more loyalty, support and friendship than I have. For

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Greek Royal Family May Fly to Denmark

ROME (Reuters) — King Constantine of Greece rested at the Greek embassy here today as speculation mounted that he and Queen Anne-Marie would later fly to Denmark following his abortive attempt to topple the military regime in Athens.

The king arrived before dawn with his family and former Greek prime minister Constantine Kollias hours after he was deprived of his powers by the military junta.

The king called off a scheduled press conference.

Greek Consul Inades Moutsios left the embassy in a hurry and, asked if the king would stay in Italy for long, replied "I don't think so."

The plane which brought the king from Greece stood ready for departure at Ciampino and there was speculation it was being prepared for a flight to Denmark, whose king is the father of Queen Anne-Marie.

An Italian foreign ministry spokesman said "for us he is a guest of Italy—I am not saying of the Italian government."

"Everybody has a right to ask for political asylum—from the king to the last Greek citizen. It is not a problem for us, but it seems to be a problem for him," the Italian spokesman added.

The dramatic night flight of the royal family came as the Athens government announced the failure of an attempt by Constantine to topple the junta which took power in a coup April 21.

The 27-year-old king's royal gamble started 24 hours earlier when he went to Larissa in Northern Greece and appealed to the people and the armed forces to help him restore parliamentary democracy.

Constantine, looking wan as he stepped out of his plane in pre-dawn darkness, blinked frequently, apparently to hold back tears.

Asked if he had any statement to make, the king told reporters "None at the moment."

Another plane from Greece followed 1½ hours later carrying senior Greek officers and luggage.

RACING RESULTS

BAY MEADOWS

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs:

Winkleman (Pineda)	$6.20	$4.00	$2.80
Fast Trail (Sanchez)		7.60	4.40
Miss Maneuver (Caballero)			3.40

Also ran: Bruny, Gay Vanquish, Joe Tunnie, Itsabreeze, Adventure Boy, Chestnut Moon, One Omy, Count Sherry, Foolish Belle. Time 1:11 2-5.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs:

Lucky Mimi (Planas)	$34.00	$12.80	$8.60
Desert Dee (Harris)		5.20	4.60
Rich Lady (Hawkenson)			7.60

Also ran: Know Me, Foreign Bin, El-Mirador-Flash, Arklied, Mr. Buford, Leonard's Nephew, Prince Nagea, Quillibhal, Equispar. Time 1:11 2-5.

Daily double paid $205.40.

THIRD RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth:

Trail Arms (Pineda)	$4.60	$3.00	$2.60
Estodo (Jennings)		5.20	4.40
Winsome Beauty (M. Valenzuela)			6.80

Also ran: Jenesaispas, Oh So Royal, Hard Biscuit, Big Gib, Fast Arrow, Keep Calm, Walt's Lad, Daikoku, Billie's Royal Boy. Time 1:45.

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Canada's Extremes

High: Halifax 49

Low: Brandon 10 B

CHILDREN OF ASIA FUND

Everyone Grateful for Soapsuds

By KATHRINE THOMAS

There's an unusual boys' club in Seoul, Korea.

It's run for shoeshine boys.

Dr. Lotta Hitschmanova, executive director of the Unitarian Service Committee, vividly recalls meeting three of the members.

"After lunch I went to the common washroom in our USC headquarters at the Social Service Centre and suddenly found myself in the presence of three boys, about 17 years old, none of them with a stitch on, black from head to toe with dirt and dust and all earnestly scrubbing themselves with a big cake of soap.

"I finally realized that these were the shoeshine boys getting ready to meet me. And sure enough, an hour later, shining and clean, they were introduced to me as members of our Mapo Shoe Shine Club."

Dr. Hitschmanova explained that there are now nearly 10,000 shoeshine boys in Korea, most of them born during or after the Korean War, who missed out on their schooling through lack of opportunity.

"Their day begins very early as they try to catch anyone who might need a shoeshine on the way to the office," she says. "Every morning each boy takes the place allotted by his gang leader.

"The boys earn three cents for one shoeshine job and need at least four customers before they can leave to go and buy a little rice for breakfast. In the afternoon they might get another 10 clients apiece but needless to say they're always hungry and ragged."

There's been a large rise in juvenile delinquency in Korea and the shoeshine club at the Social Service Centre in Seoul is the USC's latest pilot project in the field of social welfare.

"What they ask for most," says Dr. Hitschmanova, "is a hot bath, something to eat, clean clothes, and a job. But more than anything else — they want a chance to go to school."

The boys meet every Thursday afternoon with a USC group worker to talk out their problems and the USC is planning to give them meal tickets for a nearby restaurant.

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U.S. 'Space Bus' Can Hurl Missiles at Several Cities

DALLAS, Tex. (AP) — A defence department researcher says the United States has developed a space vehicle that can hurl nuclear warheads at several cities.

Dr. John S. Foster Jr., director of defence research and engineering told a dinner of the Dallas chapter of the Association of the U.S. Army and the Dallas Council on World Affairs Wednesday that the "space bus" would counter additional missiles deployed by the Soviet Union.

After the main booster has cut off the bus can make minute adjustments of its speed and direction, and after each adjustment can eject one of the several re-entry vehicles with nuclear warheads that it carries, Foster said.

Thus, each warhead would be delivered on a trajectory to a different city, or if desired, all could be delivered within one city.

The Poseidon, a new missile planned for deployment on Polaris nuclear submarines, will carry the space bus.

Foster said a worldwide military satellite communication system with transportable terminals also has been deployed. The system can be moved to any spot in the world so that a local commander can maintain continuous and private communication with the Pentagon or White House.

He said about $400,000,000 will be spent on basic research in fields important to defence and more than $8,000,000,000 will be spent in actual defence research.

New Cong Killer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The U.S. Army has started using what amounts to huge artillery shotgun shells against the Communists in South Vietnam, sources report.

New artillery rounds fired in regula 105-millimetre howitzer pieces spray thousands of dart-shaped steel shafts over broad areas of jungle or open territory.

One well-aimed round can kill hundreds of troops massing for an attack.

Military men report the weapon has been used with lethal effectiveness in such actions as Communist charges against American artillery positions below the demilitarized zone separating North and South Vietnam.

"I've seen reports of enemy soldiers actually being nailed to trees by these things," one officer commented.

TORNADO HITS SYDNEY, MANY HOUSES DAMAGED

SYDNEY, Australia (AP)—A tornado ripped into the Sydney Harbor suburb of Mosman today, leaving many persons injured and hundreds of houses damaged.

Police Commissioner Norman Allen described the scene as "bad as London in the blitz", with roofs being torn off scores of houses.

'Y' might say o' Constantine thet he flew th' coup.

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Seems by th' time Mike got a second look at th' premiers, he'd had it.

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It's easy t' see who is scramblin' fer the leadership, an' where, an' when, an' how. Th' big mystery is why.

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clashes between air force and army units followed. Two buildings caught fire in the fighting.

Fighting also was reported on the Greek island of Crete, scene of the only armed resistance to the junta's takeover eight months ago.

Reports said the king was with the 3rd Armored Army Corps, based in the north, when he appealed to the nation to rebel. Athens radio said today the commander of the corps, Gen. George Peridis, was among three army generals arrested by the junta.

Widespread arrests of right-wing politicians also were reported in Athens.

The capital was calm today, and people hurried to work as usual. But the government ordered all banks and the stock exchange closed to avert financial panic.

Reports from northern Greece were sketchy because the area was cut off from Athens by road and by telephone. But Athens radio announced today it had restored radio communications with stations in the north.

It was not immediately known what would happen to military units—reported to include parts of the air force—that had sided with the king. The junta was reported offering the dissident units an amnesty in an attempt to avoid bloodshed and restore unity.

Premier Constantine Kollias, the civilian government head named by the colonels who seized power last April 21, accompanied the royal family to Rome after Papadopoulos supplanted him.

Papadopoulos, the new government chief in name as well as in fact, broadcast thanks to the Greek armed forces and Greek people for standing by his government.

"You have saved Greece and its unity," he said. "You proved worthy and acted with determination that surpassed bravery. . . . You have protected with self-sacrifice the meaning of true freedom and healthy democracy."

The April coup caught Constantine by surprise. Although remaining as a figurehead, he made clear he regarded the junta as a disastrous stopgap.

Observers in London believe the timing of his attempted counter-coup was influenced by the junta's reported efforts to preserve military rule in a new draft constitution due to be announced Friday and by the recent announcement from Paris by former premier Constantine Caramanlis that he was ready to return to Greece to head a democratic civilian government.

The king also was believed to have hoped to take advantage of widespread discontent in the army over the junta's withdrawal of about 12,000 Greek troops from Cyprus under Turkish pressure. Greek troops returning from the island were reported to have landed secretly in northern Greece, where they could have joined forces with the king.

Puffy eyed and walking unsteadily, the king arrived in Rome in a royal plane at 4:55 a.m. With him came his 21-year-old wife Queen Anne-Marie, a former Danish princess; their two young children, Crown Prince Paul and Princess Alexia; Queen Mother Frederika, long a centre of political turmoil in Greece; Princess Irene, the king's sister, and Kollias.

The refugees went to the Greek embassy.

NATO Delegate Loses Job

The crisis caught three Greek government ministers attending the ministers' conference of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization in Brussels, and one lost his job. Foreign Minister Panayiotis Pipinelis and Finance Minister Adamantios Androutsopoulos will retain their posts. But Lt.-Gen. Gregory Spantidakis was dropped from the post of deputy premier and defence minister. Papadopoulos took over the defence ministry.

As the last remnants of resistance to the military regime collapsed today, it became apparent that Constantine's attempt at a counter-coup was foiled at the last minute by men loyal to the Athens government.

The king's attempt was scheduled to start at noon Wednesday, beginning in northern Greece with the support of the powerful 3rd Corps.

But the military regime in Athens was apparently tipped off and took immediate counter-measures.

Informed sources gave this account of what occurred in Salonika, the largest city in the north, and at Kavalla, in north-eastern Greece, where the king was with forces loyal to him.

About 10 a.m., members of the regime in Athens received reports that the king would make an attempt to oust them.

Troops immediately ringed all government buildings in Salonika, including the telecommunications centre and the radio station. All phone lines were cut, isolating northern Greece from the rest of the country. The king's forces were unable to call up any royalist units in the Athens area to rise up against the junta.

The king and his entire family flew to Kavalla early Wednesday morning from an air base near his estate at Tatoi, 26 miles from Athens. He went immediately to the radio station to record an address to the nation urging it to stand by his side as he attempted to "restore democracy and freedom."

Air Force Radio Was Used

The taped address was flown by royalist air force officers to Larissa, in central Greece, where the Greek Air Force has most of its units at a large NATO air base. It was broadcast over a shortwave band.

Most Greeks were unable to pick it up. But later, about 5 p.m., air force jets appeared over Salonika and began dropping thousands of copies of the king's address. To most Salonikans, it was the first indication of what was happening.

Meanwhile, troops loyal to the Athens government had taken control of key points in and around the city.

The junta's minister of northern Greece, Brig. Dimitrios Patilis, was seriously ill with a kidney disorder, but left his hospital bed, put on his uniform and took over the 3rd Army headquarters in Salonika. From there he deposed the 3rd Corps commander, Gen. Peridis, and began announcing over the local radio station that he was in full control of the situation.

He also called on the 1st and 2nd Army Corps to restore communications immediately with the defence headquarters in Athens and gave orders to stop any units not loyal to the Athens government from entering Salonika.

While the king, in Kavalla with his followers, was trying to figure out who was with them and who was against them, the colonels in Athens solidified their position by getting commanding officers of the Greek Army to make loyalty statements.

The king and his family had taken over the Astir Hotel in Kavalla. He put on his marshal's uniform and took command, but the reports coming in were disheartening, especially from Salonika.

In another taped address broadcast later over Larissa shortwave radio, the king said that Col. Papadopoulis, Brig. Stylianos Patakos, Col. Gregory Makarezos and Gen. Zoitakis were dismissed from his government. But they continued to call on all the armed forces to stand by them.

Bombers Hit Hanoi

MOSCOW (Reuters) — The Russian news agency Tass today reported that 50 American planes raided residential areas of the North Vietnamese capital of Hanoi, dropping delayed action anti-personnel bombs. Tass gave no details of any injuries or damage.

"Sure NATO's a great idea. How else would we get to visit Brussels?"

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"Very much thank you," they kept repeating in English to Dr. Hitschmanova.

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Total	$5,543.84

Ship Captain Held Prisoner In Mutiny

ROTTERDAM (AP) — The crew of the Liberian freighter African Monarch locked the captain in the wheelhouse today, saying he threatened them, the Dutch minesweeper Rhenen reported.

The African Monarch, of 7,298 tons, was six miles off the Dutch Hook of Holland when the trouble broke out. The captain asked for assistance.

After consultations with the Liberian embassy at The Hague, the government sent the Rhenen with its crew, a marine officer, 10 marines and the Liberian consul.

The Rhenen radioed:

"Our men are aboard the African Monarch. They talked with some crew members of the vessel who said they were being threatened by their captain.

"The crew members said 'We locked him plus two other men in the wheelhouse. The captain is armed,' "

The ship was en route from Rostock, East Germany, to Rotterdam. Its crew of about 30 were reported to be mostly Italian.

No Violence Signs

PLANO, Tex. (AP)—An autopsy disclosed no marks of violence on the body of Evalyn McLean, 25, who was once among heirs to the famed Hope diamond. But Justice of the Peace B. B. Carpenter added that it would be two to three weeks before the cause of death could be pinpointed. (See story page 9.)

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He said he does not believe his resignation will weaken his position as prime minister at the federal-provincial constitutional conference in February.

Mr. Pearson said the Commons will reassemble after the Christmas holidays in the regular way at a date to be discussed between government House Leader MacEachen and the house leaders of the opposition parties.

To suggestions that he might be inhibited in making cabinet changes or appointments in the months until a convention meets, Mr. Pearson replied that "I'm in no way inhibited in making any changes or appointments" as a result of his decision to step down.

The prime minister looked bright and cheerful sitting behind a table on the stage of the new press conference theatre in the National Press Building, across the street from Parliament Hill.

A surprise announcement that the press conference was to be held was posted in the Parliamentary Press Gallery about an hour before the event. It gave no inkling of the subject.

Lester Bowles Pearson took over the Liberal leadership at a party convention Jan. 16, 1958, following the resignation of Louis St. Laurent.

Seven months earlier, the Liberal government had lost the 1957 election to the Conservatives under John Diefenbaker who formed a minority government.

Mr. Pearson's election as Mr. St. Laurent's replacement came only 36 days after he received the 1957 Nobel Peace Prize for his work in creation of the United Nations Emergency Force that ended the Suez war in Egypt.

He barely had time to settle in as opposition leader when Mr. Diefenbaker called the snap election of March 31, 1958, in which the Conservatives shattered the Liberals with the greatest electoral victory in Canadian history.

The Liberals, who had won 105 seats in the narrow 1957 loss, fell to 49 while the Conservatives rolled up an unprecedented 208.

For four years Mr. Pearson directed a careful rebuilding of his party and in the 1962 election forced the Conservatives back into a minority position. In 1963 the Diefenbaker government lost a confidence vote in the Commons and was forced to call another spring election in which the Liberals scored a minority win.

Mr. Pearson called another election in November, 1965, in an attempt to gain a majority of the 265 Commons seats for his party but again fell short of it.

There had never been much doubt about Mr. Pearson's eventual move to the leadership. In nine years as minister of external affairs he became internationally known as a world trouble-shooter and his famous polka-dot bow tie and boyish grin were almost national symbols.

He spent 21 years in the diplomatic service before the then prime minister, Mackenzie King, appointed him to the cabinet in 1948.

Shortly after Mr. Pearson was sworn in as a cabinet member, a reporter asked him when he had become a Liberal.

"Today," he replied.

He swept the 1958 leadership convention easily on the first ballot, defeating Paul Martin who had been Liberal health minister for years, and took on the external affairs portfolio when Mr. Pearson formed his first government in April of 1963.

Refusal of Arms Angers Portugal

BRUSSELS (CP) — Portugal, a NATO ally, has accused Canada of refusing to supply military equipment to the Portuguese armed forces even though Canada does provide assistance to Tanzania, an emerging African state.

External Affairs Minister Martin said in a statement Foreign Minister Franco Nogueira made the accusation during a NATO council session Wednesday. Martin said the reason for the refusal of arms is because of a United Nations arms limitation imposed against Portugal.

Portugal was reported to have stated that Canada was asked to provide military equipment and spare parts for military aircraft. Canada had requested the usual assurances that such equipment would be used only within the geographic limits of the alliance for purposes of the alliance and Portugal had given these assurances.

Even so, Canada rejected the request, the Portuguese minister is reported to have said. Portugal could only draw two conclusions: Either Canada had no confidence in its NATO ally or did not wish to co-operate with Portugal.

He also is reported to have said that Canada is the only NATO country which has refused supplies even though Canada provides aid to Tanzania without any guarantees.

Little Libau Demands Minister Step Down

LIBAU, Man. (CP)—Resignation of Postmaster-General Cote was demanded today in Libau's continued flap over who should handle the mail.

An accompanying demand in a petition being circulated by a citizens' group is that the government build a separate post office building for the town's 230 population.

The petition says the postmaster-general should resign because he "acted in defiance of a large majority of the people of Libau," in naming Ewald Greening to succeed acting postmaster Ray Gilson.

The appointment moved the post office from Mr. Gilson's grocery store to Mr. Greening's store across the street in this community 38 miles northeast of Winnipeg.

The transfer was delayed by townspeople who prevented postal officials from reaching Mr. Gilson with the necessary transfer papers. When the changeover was finally accomplished, citizens reacted by hiring Mr. Gilson to handle their mail privately—a plan that soon ended with a post office ruling that it was illegal. The ex-postmaster bowed to the ruling.

Thatcher Won't Seek PM's Job

REGINA (CP)—Saskatchewan political leaders today expressed little surprise about Prime Minister Pearson's announcement he was resigning as leader of the Liberal Party.

Premier W. Ross Thatcher immediately laid to rest any speculation that he might seek to succeed Mr. Pearson.

"It is only two months since the people of Saskatchewan re-elected me to lead this government for another four years," he said. "I regard this as my first and sole responsibility and for that reason, I will give no consideration whatsoever to any other political position."

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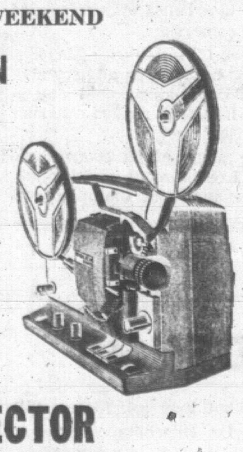

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WEATHER SYNOPSIS

A weak disturbance will give cloudy weather to the northern half of B.C. and some rain is expected on the north coast. Temperatures will also be a little milder in the north.

The ridge of high pressure will remain over southern B.C. and the skies will remain sunny and temperatures cold.

Some cloud will drift into southern B.C. from northern areas but it is expected to be quite thin and patchy.

DOMINION PUBLIC WEATHER OFFICE
9 A.M. FORECASTS
Valid Until Midnight Friday

Victoria: Mainly sunny Friday. Cold. Winds light at times northeast 15. Low tonight and high Friday, 32 and 43.

Vancouver and Georgia Strait: Mainly sunny Friday. Cold overnight. Winds light. Low tonight and high Friday at Vancouver, 28 and 43; Nanaimo, 23 and 45.

West Coast: Cloudy in the northern part Friday. Elsewhere mainly sunny. Cold. Winds light. Low tonight and high Friday at Tofino, 28 and 45.

TEMPERATURES
Yesterday

	Max.	Min.	Prcp.
Victoria	41	32	..
Normal	45	38	..

One Year Ago

Victoria	52	44	.48

Across the Continent

Palm Springs	50	33	..
St. John's	37	33	.16
Halifax	49	34	..
Montreal	42	31	..
Ottawa	41	27	..
Toronto	42	29	..
Port Arthur	23	9	..
Winnipeg	11	— 3	..
Regina	9	— 7	.01
Saskatoon	8	— 7	.04
Medicine Hat	18	— 9	..
Lethbridge	19	— 5	..
Calgary	17	1	..
Edmonton	18	3	..
Kamloops	26	13	..
Penticton	30	17	..
Vancouver	40	26	..
Kimberley	18	— 7	..
New Westminster	40	26	..
Prince Rupert	35	31	..
Prince George	10	6	..
Fort St. John	16	7	..
Nanaimo	42	25	..
Whitehorse	37	33	..
Seattle	38	28	..
Portland	39	30	..
Chicago	38	23	..
Los Angeles	49	40	..
New York	58	46	..

World temperatures (based on observations taken at midnight PST): London 37, Paris 41, Rome 41, Berlin 36, Stockholm 30, Moscow 5, Madrid 34, Tokyo 41.

U.S. weather (temperatures for Wednesday): Anchorage 45, 32; Las Vegas 35, 28; Phoenix 48, 35; Washington 61, 41; Honolulu 78, 67; Miami 79, 76; Detroit 43, 28.

CITY'S WEATHER RECORD

Sunshine, Dec.	33.0 hrs.
Last Dec.	15.7 hrs.
Normal (30 years)	27.9 hrs.
Sunshine, 1967	2,149.3 hrs.
Last Year	2,066.7 hrs.
Normal (30 years)	2,168.6 hrs.
Precip., Dec.	1.83 ins.
Last Dec.	1.80 ins.
Normal (30 years)	2.24 ins.
Precip., 1967	29.41 ins.
Last Year	20.77 ins.
Normal (30 years)	24.56 ins.

Sunrise, Sunset Friday
Sunrise 7:59 Sunset 16:18

TIDES AT VICTORIA
(Pacific Standard Time)

	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.
	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.
14	10.50	9.3	20.00	1.9	.....	.....	.....	.....
15	10.45	9.5	20.35	1.4	.....	.....	.....	.....
16	11.05	9.8	21.45	1.1	.....	.....	.....	.....
17	11.35	9.9	21.45	1.0	.....	.....	.....	.....
18	12.25	10.0	22.20	1.1	.....	.....	.....	.....

TIDES AT FULFORD HARBOUR
(Pacific Standard Time)

	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.
	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.	H.M.	Ft.
14	05.30	10.6	09.25	9.9	13.10	10.6	21.05	2.2
15	06.00	11.2	10.20	10.2	13.15	10.6	21.50	1.7
16	06.50	11.6	11.15	10.4	13.45	10.6	22.20	1.4
17	07.20	11.8	12.05	10.4	14.35	10.6	23.00	1.3
18	08.00	11.9	12.50	10.3	14.45	10.4	23.35	1.3

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INDUSTRIALS

A—B

Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
Abitibi	8155	$8¼	8⅛	8⅛	+ ⅛
Acklands	3460	$15⅝	15⅛	15½	
Alta Gas T	300	$33	32¾	32¾	+ ¼
Alta Gas w	110	610	610	610	+10
Alta Nat	310	$19¾	19¾	19¾	+ ⅛
Algo Cent	865	$7⅛	7	7	— ⅛
Algoma St	5312	$18⅝	17⅞	18⅜	+ ⅝
Algonq pr	100	225	225	225	+45
Alcan	7230	$27⅝	27½	27½	
Alcan pf	300	$34⅜	34½	34¾	
Alumin 2p	z10	$38	38	38	
Anglo-cn	460	$5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	+ ⅛
Ang CT 290	50	$42	42	42	
Ang CT 315	25	$48	48	48	— 1
Anthes A	260	$27¼	27	27	— ⅛
Argus	z10	$11	11	11	
Argus C pr	400	$9	8⅝	9	+ ½
Asbestos	1536	$30¼	20	20	— ¼
Atl Sugar	2925	$11	10⅜	10⅞	— ⅛
Auto Elec	1530	$10½	9⅞	9⅞	— ⅛
BACM Ind	z50	$14½	14½	14½	
Bahama	400	66	65	65	
Bank Mtl	7195	$11¼	10⅞	11	— ⅜
Bank N S	3935	$14¼	14	14⅛	+ ⅛
Bartaco	250	$6¼	6¼	6¼	— ⅛
Bathrst p	250	$12⅜	12⅜	12⅜	
Beaver L	8740	$40⅜	39½	39⅝	+2⅜
Becker B p	750	$8½	8⅝	8½	+ ⅛
Bell T	14367	$43½	43	43¼	— ⅛
Bow Valy	5150	$9⅜	9½	9⅜	+ ⅛
Bow Vly w	1200	640	620	640	+40
Bowater	200	$7	6⅞	6⅞	+ ⅛
Bow-m pr	125	$49	49	49	
Bramalea	700	$15	15	15	
Bramal w	103	725	725	725	
Brazilian	2524	$14¼	13⅞	14	
BA Oil	3955	$38⅞	38⅛	38⅞	+ ⅛
BC Forest	955	$17¼	17	17	— ⅛
BC Pack A	z15	$16⅞	16⅞	16⅞	
BC Sugar	250	$44	43⅝	43⅝	— ¼
BC Sugar p	122	$18	18	18	
BC Phone	480	$56¼	55⅛	55½	— ½
BCPh 6 pr	10	$100	100	100	— ½
BCPh 4¾ p	z10	$75¼	75¼	73¼	
BCPh 4½ p	z10	$75	75	75	
BCPh 4⅜ p	z10	$69½	69½	69½	
BCPh 1956	50	$79	79	79	— 1
BCPh 5.15	125	$86¼	86¼	68¼	+1¼
Brnck B	100	$7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	
Buntin Rid	200	$10⅝	10⅝	10⅝	
Burns Fds	690	$19	18⅝	18⅞	+ ⅜
Burrard	z1	$67	67	67	

C—E

CAE Ind	1565	$10	9⅞	10	+ ⅛
Calgary P	250	$21½	21½	21½	— ¼
Calgy 540 p	75	$104	104	104	
CD Sugar	720	$23	20¾	23	+2¼
Can Bread	200	$10	10	10	
Can Cem	355	$27½	27	27	— ⅛
Can Iron	100	$17⅜	17⅜	17⅜	+ ⅛
Can Malt	300	$22	22	22	
C Packrs A	65	$85½	85½	85½	— 1
C Packrs B	25	$86	86	86	— 2
Can Perm	875	$11	10¾	11	+ ⅛
C Safway p	z1	$88¼	88¼	88¼	
CSL	225	$25	24½	24⅝	+ ⅛
Cdn Brew	9200	$7⅜	7⅛	7⅛	— ⅛
C Brew Ap	z1	$32	32	32	
C Brew Bp	z5	$42½	42½	42½	
CB Alum A	200	$14⅜	14⅜	14⅜	— ⅛
Cdn Can A	z60	$11¼	11¼	11¼	
C Chem w	4300	210	200	205	+ 5
C Contaur	2080	65	65	65	-19
C Curtiss	3800	285	280	280	+ 5
Cdn Equity	1300	$5⅝	5½	5½	— ⅛
C Found	110	$6¼	6¼	6¼	
CGE	z10	$32	32	32	
CG Invest	28	$54	54	54	
C Goldale	z10	$9¼	9¼	9¼	
C Imp	13210	$13⅜	13⅜	13⅜	
C Ind Gas	523	$11¼	11⅛	11¼	— ⅛
C Ind Gas p	705	$11	11	11	
CIL	2325	$13⅜	13⅜	13⅜	
C Marconi	1375	$5⅞	5⅝	5⅞	+ ⅛
CP Inve pr	4148	$24⅛	23⅞	23⅞	— ⅛
CPR	1639	$58	57½	58	+ ⅜
CPR 300 pr	1205	$10¼	10	10⅛	
CPR pr	z20	$8½	8½	8½	
C Petrofin	779	$14⅛	13⅞	14⅛	— ½
Cdn Tire	717	46	46	47	
Cdn Tire A	3385	$37	36¼	36⅞	+ ¾
C Utilities	4425	$39½	39⅛	39½	
C Vickrs	100	$7⅜	7⅜	7⅜	+ ⅛
CWN Gas	z10	$16½	16½	16½	
CWN G 4 pr	z67	$12¾	12¾	12¾	
CWN 5½ p	100	$18⅜	18⅜	18⅜	
C Westing	1625	$12⅜	12	12¼	
Canit Bldg	3700	125	115	125	
CDRR Ltd	4790	$6¼	5⅞	6	+ ⅛
Chemcell	5180	$7⅝	7¼	7¼	— ⅛
CHUM A	820	$21½	21¼	21⅜	+ ⅛
Clairton	1060	415	415	415	+25
Clairton w	845	225	200	225	+30
Coch-Dun	25	$27	27	27	—1¼
Columbia	450	375	360	360	—20
Columbi p	100	$14	14	14	
Cominco	3220	$36⅛	35¼	36⅝	+1⅛
Compco	3745	405	395	400	
Computr	450	$11¼	11¼	11½	
Con Bath	1495	$21⅜	21⅜	21⅜	+ ⅛
Con Bath w	1100	345	395	325	—20
Con Bldg	650	100	100	100	
Cons Gas	7978	$20¼	20	20	— ⅜
Con Glass	200	$12⅜	12¼	12¼	— ⅛
Corby vt	3170	$29	27⅞	29	+1⅜
Corby p	155	$28¾	27½	28⅝	+1⅜
Crain R L	z5	$47½	47½	47½	
Crwn Trst	z15	$45	43¼	45	
Crow Nest	z25	$21	21	21	
Crush Intl	1270	$11⅜	11⅛	11¼	
Cygnus A	2510	460	450	450	
Cygnus pr	300	$20¼	20	20	— ⅛
Delta Elec	350	315	315	315	+10
Distl Seag	1005	$39½	39¼	39½	+ ⅛
Dome Pete	815	$53½	53½	53½	
Con Bath p	580	$20¾	20¼	20¼	— ¼
Dom Angl	100	$16	16	16	
D Bridge	1170	$15	14⅝	15	+ ⅝
D Can Gen	100	$74	74	74	
D Dairies	z5	$16	16	16	
Dofasco	1270	$20	20	20	— ¼
Dom Glass	200	$8¾	8¾	8⅝	+ ⅛
D Magnes	125	$5	5	5	— ⅛
Dosco	590	$9¼	9¼	9¼	— ¼
Dom Store	2725	$16	15⅞	16	
Domtar	2740	$10¾	10	10¼	+ ⅛
D Textile	2020	$16	15⅜	15⅝	
Dover Ind	100	$16½	16½	16½	—1½
Dunont	205	$25	24½	24½	
Eddy Mtch	75	$26½	26½	26½	
Electro ltd	100	$9¾	9¾	9¾	+ ⅛
Emco	500	$19¼	19	19	— ⅛
Emp Life	100	$9¾	9¾	9¾	+ ⅛
Equisite	505	465	465	465	+25
Equite pr	275	490	490	490	
Exquisite	505	465	465	465	+25
Exquite pr	275	490	490	490	
Exquite w	109	96	96	96	— 1

F—J

Falcon	1193	$69½	68	69½	+1¼
Fam Play	975	$41½	41½	41½	
Fanny	z70	$48	48	48	
Fed Grain	1270	$7⅜	7	7⅜	+ ⅜
Fleet Mfg	900	165	155	155	— 5
Ford Cnda	192	$166	165	165½	—1½
FPE Pion	500	$28	28	28	— ⅜
FPE Pn pr	10	$112	112	112	
Fraser	100	$17⅜	17⅜	17⅜	— ⅛
Freiman	100	$7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	
Frnchauf	535	$15⅜	15⅜	15½	— ½
GMC	z10	$89	89	89	
G P Mfg A	z81	$17½	17	17⅛	
G P Mfg B	z2	$14	14	14	
G Stl Ware	z100	$8	8	8	
Goodyear	75	$192	192	192	
Godyear p	75	$38	38	38	+ 1
GL Paper	7765	$16¼	16	16½	
GL Power	375	$19½	19⅜	19⅜	
GNGas A p	z10	$21½	21½	21½	
Gt W Life	465	$53½	52¾	53½	+ ¾
Greyhnd	610	$11¾	11¼	11¾	
Guar Trst	470	$9	9	9	+ ⅛
Hardee	1325	30	29	30	
Hard Crp A	325	$11⅛	11¼	11⅜	+ ⅛
Harveys F	760	$15	15⅜	16	+ ¼
H Wood b	z52	40	40	40	
Hawker S	2450	360	345	350	+ 5
Hawker pr	z13	$70¼	69	70	
Hays Dna	z50	$12⅝	12⅝	12⅝	
Ho OA	14083	$25¾	25¼	25¾	+ ⅛
Home B	675	$27¼	27	27¼	+ ¼
Horne Pit	1325	335	325	325	— 5
H Bay Co	1200	$22⅝	22⅜	22½	
HB Oil Gas	175	$45	44½	44⅝	— ¼
HB Oil G pr	750	$60½	60	60	— ¼
Huron Eri	900	$10	10	10	— ⅛
Husky Oil	9495	$25½	24⅝	25	— ¼
Husky C pr	240	$83	83	83	— 3
Husky D w	3005	$15	14⅝	14⅝	
Imbrex	170	480	480	480	— 1
Imp Life	15	$122	122	122	
Imp Oil	2683	$69¾	69	69	+ ⅛
Imp Tob	1320	$12⅞	12⅝	12⅞	+ ⅛
Ind Accept	815	$20¼	20¼	20¼	+ ⅛
Ind Mineri	568	$12⅞	12⅞	12⅞	+ ⅝
Ind Wire	575	390	385	385	— 5
Ingersol	350	$31	30½	30½	— ½
Inglis	600	$11½	11⅜	11½	
Inland Gas	320	$9⅝	9¾	9⅞	+ ⅛
Inspiratin	400	110	110	110	+10
Inspirati p	227	$17⅜	17⅜	17⅜	+ ⅛
Inter-City	z20	$13½	13	13	
IBM	24	$695	685	690	
IMC	1020	$33¾	31¼	33¼	+2¼
Int Nickel	1328	$124⅞	124¼	124⅝	+ ⅝
Int Util	5570	$41½	41¼	41½	+ ⅛
Int Util pr	1805	$41½	41¼	41½	+ ⅛
Intpr Pipe	4620	$22⅞	22½	22½	
Int Pipe w	885	$10⅜	10¼	10⅜	+ ⅛
Io SP	11100	490	465	465	—20
Intpr Stl pr	z25	$17½	17½	17½	
Inv G A	67630	$7⅜	7⅛	7¼	+ ⅛
ITL	10089	$16	15	16	+1½
ITL Ind pr	250	$23	23	23	
James Stl	639	425	420	420	
Jefferson	2850	$62	60½	61½	— ½
Jeffersn w	210	$52¾	52	52	— ¾
Jockey C	3377	285	275	285	+10
Jockey B p	100	$6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	
Jockey 2 p	100	$7	7	7	

K—N

Kelly D A	500	485	485	485	—10
Kelsey H	150	$14	14	14	+ ½
Kelvinatr	100	$7½	7½	7½	— ½
Labatt	6842	$13½	13½	13½	+ ½
Lafarge A	100	$10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	+ ⅝
LOnt Cem	3902	320	315	320	
Lambton	100	$5¼	5¼	5¼	+ ⅜
Laura Sec	597	$14¼	14	14	— ⅜
Lau Fin	1720	375	370	375	— 5
Lau F 2.00	100	$16⅜	16⅜	16⅜	
Levy	2585	$36½	35½	36	— ⅜
Levy B pr	175	$31½	31½	31½	+ ½
Life Invest	200	$5⅞	5⅞	5⅞	— ⅛
Life Inv wt	350	115	110	110	— 5
Livingsto	125	$11	11	11	+ ⅛
Living wts	z30	365	365	365	
Lob Co A	940	$6⅜	6⅛	6⅜	+ ⅛
Lob Co B	255	$6⅞	6⅝	6⅝	
Lob Co pr	100	$39¼	39¼	39¼	+ ⅛
Lob G A pr	10	$22	22	22	+ ⅜
Lob G B pr	137	$22⅜	22⅜	22⅜	+ ⅛
Loeb M	2785	$13	12⅞	13	+ ⅛
Maclarn B	z50	$16½	16½	16½	
Maclean H	380	$60	58½	60	+ 1
MB Ltd	2601	$24¼	24⅛	24¼	
Magma El	605	$19⅞	19½	19½	+ ⅛
M Lf Gard	195	$37	36½	37	+ ½
M Lf Mills	120	$15¼	15¼	15¼	— ⅛
Maritime	z87	$20½	20¼	20½	
Mrtime rts	5766	44	42	42	—
Markboro	5495	$6¼	6	6⅛	— ⅛
Markboro w	900	325	310	325	— 5
Mass-Fer	5404	$16⅛	15⅜	15⅝	— ⅛
MEPC	200	305	305	305	+ 5
Met Stores	175	$32¼	32	32	
Met Stors p	150	$20	20	20	
MPC Inv	100	475	475	475	
Mill Brick	1150	$5	470	5	
Molson A	z175	$17¾	17¾	17⅝	
Molson B	201	$18½	18½	18½	— ¼
Mo nFood	225	$10¼	10¼	10¼	— ⅜
Montex	1200	230	220	230	+10
Montex pr	150	$7¼	7¼	7¼	+ ⅛
M Loco	16700	$15½	14	14½	— ½
Moni Trst	100	$11½	11½	11½	
Moore	5097	$30⅛	29½	29⅝	— ⅛
Morse A	2150	$19	18½	18⅝	
Morse pr	50	$51¼	51	51¾	—1¼
Morse B pr	75	$51	51	51	— 1
Murphy	4950	$11⅛	10⅞	11	— ⅛
Mrphy Pr	610	$30½	30	30⅜	+ ⅜
Nabrs Dlg	300	410	410	410	—65
Nat Drug	100	$9	9	9	+ ⅛
Nat Hees	100	445	445	445	—10
Nat Hees p	100	$10	10	10	
Neon	1300	$10⅜	10½	10½	
Noranda	2736	$52	51¼	51¼	— ¼
Nor Cti G	2355	$11¼	10⅞	10⅞	— ⅛
Nor Cti G p	165	$23½	23¼	23¼	— ¼
Nor Cti Sp	50	$41¾	41¾	41¾	— ¼
NCG B 2 p	425	$27⅜	27⅛	27⅜	+ ⅛
Nor Cti wts	300	400	380	400	

O—S

Ogilvie	3955	$13⅞	13½	13⅝	+ ⅛
Ont Store	2100	$5⅝	5½	5⅝	+ ⅛
Oshawa A	5557	$27⅞	27⅜	27⅝	+ ⅛
Overland	120	$11½	11⅛	11½	— ¼
Overind pr	204	$11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	+ ⅛
Poc Pete	1920	$19¼	19	19	
Pac Pete w	840	365	340	365	+ 5
Pembina	4485	$21½	20⅜	20⅞	+ ⅛
Pembina p	z13	$46½	46½	46½	
Phillips Cb	300	$9¾	9¼	9¾	+ ⅛
Pow Corp	5190	$7⅜	7⅛	7⅜	— ⅛
Prem Iron	1000	140	130	140	+ 5
Price Com	560	$9¾	9⅝	9⅝	— ⅛
QN Gas	1572	$8⅞	8¾	8⅝	— ⅛
QN Gs 6⅜w	100	250	250	250	
QN Gs 6⅝w	z40	230	230	230	
Rnk O A	12989	$6⅝	6⅜	6⅜	+ ⅛
Rapid Grip A	100	$5¼	5¼	5¼	— ⅛
Reichhold	35	$31½	31½	31½	— ⅝
Revelstk	z10	$6⅞	6⅞	6⅞	
Revelstk p	100	$17¼	17¼	17¼	
Revenue	3235	$15¾	15⅜	15½	
Revenue w	100	$11½	11½	11½	+ ½
R Nodwell	5300	210	180	210	+25
Rockower	900	$11	11	11	+ ⅛
Rolland	120	$7⅜	7⅜	7⅜	+ ⅛
Ronald Fd	125	$15	15	15	
Romfield	5400	10	10	10	
Rothman	190	$25	24⅞	24⅞	+ ⅜
Roy Bk	12145	$15¾	15½	15⅝	— ⅛
Royal Trst	880	$17¼	16⅝	16⅝	— ⅜
Ryl T M	215	$16¾	16½	16½	+ ⅛
Russell H	400	$14⅜	14¼	14¼	+ ¼
StL Cem A	375	$15	15	15	
StL Cem w	100	150	150	150	—50
StL Corp	z67	$21⅜	21⅜	21⅜	
St Maurice	500	45	45	45	— 1
Sayvette	150	300	300	300	+ 5
Scot York	3610	$14	13½	13½	— ⅜
Seaway H	1050	5	5	5	— ⅛
Secur Cap	3725	200	200	200	— 5
Select Les	100	180	180	180	+10
Selkirk A	620	$18⅛	18¼	18⅛	+ ⅜
Shell Inv p	7475	$34	33¾	34	
Shell Inv	11243	$17	16½	16⅝	
Shell Oil	32225	$33⅞	33½	33⅝	+ ⅛
Shop Save	407	$11⅞	11⅝	11⅝	+ ⅛
Shopper Ct	375	460	450	460	—15
Shully's	300	300	300	300	—10
Silverwd B	249	$15¼	14½	15½	
Simpsons	637	$35½	35	35¼	+ ⅜
Simpson S	595	$24½	24	24½	+ ⅛
Slater Stl	650	$10¼	10	10⅛	+ ⅛
Sogemine	255	$14⅜	14½	14⅜	
Sogtham	145	$46	45½	46	
ST Radio	80	$39½	39½	39½	
Steel Can	3196	$20¼	20	20	
Steinbg A	2500	$17	16⅞	16⅞	— ⅛
Stuart H pr	z100	$7½	7½	7½	
Suptst com	z10	485	485	485	
Suptest od	925	$27	26½	26½	+ ⅛

T—Z

Tancord p	200	250	250	250	
Texaco	2513	$32	31	31½	+ ⅜
Thom Npr	125	$39⅞	39⅝	39⅝	+ ⅜
TT Tailors	1100	$23¼	23¼	23¼	— ⅜
Tone Craft	500	$8	8	8	+ ⅛
Tor Dm Bk	3555	$13⅜	13⅜	13⅜	— ⅜
Towers	100	20	20	20	— 4
Traders A	275	$7⅞	7¾	7¾	+ ⅛
Traders $ p	100	$28	26	26	— 1
Trader 65 w	125	130	130	130	+10
Trader 66 w	1000	220	210	220	+30
Transair	1010	$6¼	6¼	6¼	+ ⅛
Tr Can PL	1016	$26⅞	26¾	26⅞	+ ⅛
Tr Can Pt p	120	$43⅞	43⅞	43⅞	— ⅛
Tr Can P w	255	735	735	735	— 5
Trans Mt	1110	$18⅞	18⅝	18⅞	+ ⅜
Trans PPL	2350	$9¾	9½	9¾	
Tru-Wall	100	200	200	200	
UnAce 2p	100	350	350	350	
Un Carbid	1940	$16	15⅝	15⅝	— ⅛
Un Gas	7925	$15¼	14⅝	15¼	+ ⅛
Union Oil	400	$57	56	57	+ 1
Un Wburn	2953	$8¼	8	8¼	+ ⅛
UWbn 6¼ p	z10	$42	40	40	
Un Wbn wt	1900	520	500	520	+25
U Sections	190	$6½	6½	6½	
Vascan	100	$6½	6¼	6½	
Versatil	1677	$12⅝	12	12⅜	+ ⅜
Venez pr	200	275	275	275	
Versatile	455	$13⅜	13⅜	13⅜	— ⅜
Versatil A	250	$12	12	12	
Vic G Tr	z109	$12¾	12½	12½	
Wajax	200	$18½	18½	18½	— ½
Walnoco	4400	98	95	98	— 1
Walk GW	1170	$33¼	33	33	— ¼
Weldwod	485	$10¾	10¾	10¾	— ⅛
Weste'st	2849	$23¾	23	23¾	+ ⅛
West Ind	400	240	235	235	+10
Westeel	z10	$19	19	19	
W Bridcast	425	$17¾	17½	17¾	+ ¼
W Cdn Seed	1200	300	295	300	+ 5
W Pacific	3005	$6⅝	6¼	6½	
Weston A	9810	$15	14¾	14⅝	— ⅛
Weston Pf	110	$16½	16⅜	16½	— ¼
Wstn 4½p	25	$72	72	72	
Wstn 6pr	z10	$95	95	95	
White Pas	420	$27¾	27½	27⅝	+ ⅛
Woodwd A	940	$17⅞	17⅝	17⅞	
Zellers	185	$36½	36	36½	+ 1
Zenith	200	195	195	195	— 5

FOREIGN TRADING

Cdn Chm wts	300	275	275	275	—150
Alminex	200	650	650	650	+215
Place Gas	300	205	205	205	—10
Agnico	500	142	142	142	—13
Aunor	400	275	275	275	—25
Brunswk	200	540	540	540	—10
Kerr Addison	100	$17¾	17¾	17¾	+1½
L Dufault	z50	$10¾	10¾	10¾	+ ⅛
Leitch G	200	$11¼	11¼	11¼	+ ¼
Northgat	1850	$14	13⅞	14	
Porcupin	140000	$9½	9½	9½	— ½
Silverfields	400	500	500	500	—25
Siscoe	500	475	475	475	+20
Tech Corp	100	500	500	500	—50
Un Keno	2400	835	835	835	+35

MINES

A—B

Acad Uran	3300	5½	5½	5½	+ ½
Accra	4000	11	11	11	
Acme Gas	7000	17	17	17	
Advocate	4300	290	265	290	+30
Agena Mg	6501	13	12	12½	+ ½
Agnico	500	148	148	148	
Akaitcho	6500	45	45	45	+ 3
Am Larder	1033	30	30	30	
Am Moly	1100	28	28	28	
Ang Ruyn	4450	95	87	95	+ 9
Ang UD	13850	72	70	70	— 2
Area	400	300	285	295	— 5
Argosy	25200	58	53	53	— 4
Arcadia	2500	34½	34	34	— 1
Atl C Cop	1500	68	66	66	— 2
Aunor	1700	276	260	270	+10
Bankeno	1800	104	102	102	— 3
Bankfield	z100	6½	6½	6½	
Barex	1000	34	34	34	— 2
Barnat	1050	33½	33	33	— 2
Barry Expl	z100	23	23	23	
B-Dqu	z300	13	12	12	
Belcher	2800	34	32	32	
Belletere	1000	22½	22½	22½	— ½
Bethlm	6485	770	760	765	
BL Hawk	6000	34	33	33	
Bralorne	1250	210	195	200	—15
Bt Reef	19500	29½	28	29	— ½
Brunswk	2475	505	500	500	
Bunker H	z200	13½	13½	13½	

C—E

Calmor IB	200	110	110	110	+ 2
Camflo	3100	380	370	380	+ 5
Camp Chib	400	730	730	730	+10
Camp RL	735	$26⅝	26	26½	— ½
C Tung	1000	248	242	242	— 1
C Dyno	4510	219	215	218	
C Jamiesn	z400	87	87	87	
Cdn Keely	4000	6½	6¼	6½	
C Nisto	24000	50	45	48	+ 2
Candore	6833	12½	12½	12½	— ½
Can-fer	z400	87	87	87	
Cantri	3250	14	13½	13½	— ½
Captain	2000	14½	14½	14½	
Cassiar	160	$17½	17½	17½	— ½
Cent Pat	2350	150	147	150	
Chestrvile	9000	27	25	26	
Chib-K	15000	18	17½	17½	— ½
Chib M	2500	53	53	53	— 1
Chim	13250	138	130	131	+ 1
Chrom	100	135	135	135	— 5
Coch Will	2200	113	105	105	—10
Coin Lake	1000	19	19	19	— 1
Comb Met	1500	17	17	17	— 1
Conigo	15400	33	33	33	— 4
C Shawkey	3500	21½	21	21	— 1
C Bell	18800	13½	13	13½	+2½
C Callinan	1000	11	11	11	
Con Fardy	z90	267	267	267	
Con Gillies	1500	6	6	6	
CG Arrow	1000	22½	22½	22½	+1½
C Hall	20470	62	59	59	— 6
C Marben	3020	510	505	510	
C Morisn	4220	425	395	400	—30
C Neg	14700	73	71	71	— 1
C Rambler	1050	80	80	80	+ 3
C Red P	11000	24½	23½	24	
Conwest	275	630	630	630	+10
Coprcorp	8150	51	48	50	+ 4
Cop Fields	2301	129	126	128	
Cop Man	7500	29	29	29	— 1
Coulee	1000	46	45	46	+ 1
Courvan	1500	12½	12½	12½	— ½
Craigmt	1560	$12½	12	12	
Cstland	3749

WITH HUFF AND PUFF glassblower John Lee creates a glass trumpet before an interested crowd of spectators at a Vancouver art show. Mr. Lee makes glass instruments for specialized research at the University of British Columbia physics department. (CP Photo.)

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only increase current instability at a critical moment in national life.

Both he and Attorney-General Robert Bonner suggested that this week's federal-provincial housing conference fiasco was the final straw that led to Mr. Pearson's decision.

Shortest comment came from Recreation and Conservation Minister Kenneth Kiernan who said: "I guess he got fed up with the whole cotton-picking situation."

NO EFFECT HERE

Mr. Bennett, in a telephone interview from Vancouver, told The Times the announcement would not affect B.C. government relations with Ottawa in any way and would not change his posture at February's constitutional conference called by Mr. Pearson.

"He's just resigning as Liberal leader. That's a Liberal party problem and I don't wish to interfere in their party affairs," Mr. Bennett said.

"If he was resigning as prime minister, I would have something to say but he's not and he's also said he's not going to take any part in the (inevitable Liberal leadership) convention.

"He's the prime minister of our country and resigning as Liberal leader doesn't change that.

"I'm not surprised by the announcement because the same thing that happened to the Conservative cabinet (under John Diefenbaker) is happening in the Liberal party.

"There isn't any feuding; it's just intra-party seeking of position—after all, he's had to call the boys (cabinet ministers) back a couple of times to their desks, hasn't he?"

NO PREDICTIONS

Mr. Bennett declined to say who he thought would succeed Mr. Pearson as party leader.

Mr. Strachan said Mr. Pearson was still an active political figure in Canada 'and I have not intention to make any comment on his political contribution to the country until he is no longer prime minister.

"The fact that there now will be a Liberal convention is entirely an internal matter.

"But it is my opinion that when that Liberal convention is held, it would be a service to Canada if, instead of selecting a new leader, the delegates decided to dissolve themselves as a political party and make way for the New Democratic Party as a progressive force in the government of our country."

Mr. Bonner, in Vancouver, said there was obvious trouble within the ranks of the federal cabinet because there had been conflicting ministerial statements on the current economic situation.

FUTILE EXERCISE

He described the recent national housing conference as an exercise in futility and said this may have been the final blow to Mr. Pearson.

Mr. Williston, interviewed here, also suggested the housing conference as the reason precipitating the decision.

"It may have been the decision that a committee will look after housing, rather than direct action," Mr. Williston said in a brief corridor interview.

Mr. Williston said the prime minister has been giving indications for some time that he would resign, but the timing seems inopportune.

"Generally you get the ship on an even keel before (resigning)," Mr. Williston said.

"I can't see where it (the resignation) lends to stability at a time like this, but he must have his reasons and we have to accept them."

Mr. Williston said Mr. Pearson "is the most experienced man at the moment.

"Until a successor is chosen nobody knows who to look to and in a critical period like this it could be any number of men."

Mr. Williston mentioned the current world situation, and then said "the last thing we need at the moment is a leadership fight forgetting the best interests of Canada."

"MECHANICS LIEN ACT"

Whereas Mr. Pringle is indebted to Ensign Chrysler Plymouth Ltd. in the sum of $90.00 for work done and materials supplied in the repair of a 1955 Dodge Royal, Serial No. 99019047, Licence No. 457-284 (B.C., 1967), and 90 days have elapsed since said sum ought to have been paid and default has been made in payment thereof, notice is hereby given that on December 20th at 1061 Yates Street, at 10:00 a.m., the said motor vehicle will be sold by Ensign Chrysler Plymouth Ltd. at Public Auction.
Dated December 8th, 1967.

"MECHANICS LIEN ACT"

Whereas John Stamp is indebted to Ensign Chrysler Plymouth Ltd. in the sum of $100.00 for work done and materials supplied in the repair of a 1956 Dodge Royal, Serial No. 99023240, and 90 days have elapsed since said sum ought to have been paid and default has been made in payment thereof, notice is hereby given that on December 20th at 1061 Yates Street, at 10:00 a.m., the said motor vehicle will be sold by Ensign Chrysler Plymouth Ltd. at Public Auction.
Dated December 8th, 1967.

THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SAANICH
Tender for Petroleum Supply—1968

Sealed tenders, clearly identified as to number will be received by the Municipal Clerk, Saanich Municipal Hall, 770 Vernon Avenue, Victoria, B.C., up to 12:00 noon January 4, 1968, for the supply of Petroleum products for 1968.

Tender forms and specifications may be obtained from the Engineering/Purchasing office at 770 Vernon Avenue. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

N. W. LIFE, P.Eng.,
Municipal Engineer.

THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SAANICH
Tender for Rental of Trucks and Equipment

Sealed tenders, clearly identified as to number will be received by the Municipal Clerk, Saanich Municipal Hall, 770 Vernon Avenue, Victoria, B.C., up to 3:00 p.m. Thursday, January 4, 1968 for the following:

Tender No. 3/68—Rental of Trucks and Equipment

Tender forms and specifications may be obtained from the undersigned. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

N. W. LIFE, P.Eng.,
Municipal Engineer

THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SAANICH
Supply and Delivery of Gravel
Tender No. 2/68

Sealed tenders, clearly identified as to number will be received by the Municipal Clerk, Saanich Municipal Hall, 770 Vernon Avenue, Victoria, B.C., up to 3:00 p.m. Thursday, January 4, 1968.

Tender forms and specifications may be obtained from the undersigned. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

N. W. LIFE, P.Eng.,
Municipal Engineer.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF ALFRED EDWARDS, DECEASED, late of 860 Wollaston Street, Esquimalt, British Columbia.

All persons having claims against the above estate are required to send full particulars of such claims to the undersigned Administrator at P.O. Box 961, Victoria, British Columbia, on or before the 11th day of January, A.D. 1968, after which date the estate's assets will be distributed, having regard only to the claims that have then been received.

WILFRED EDWARDS,
Administrator.

By his solicitors,
Clay, Macfarlane, Ellis & Popham.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the estate of WILFRED TYRREL WALKER, deceased, late of 2680 Arbutus Road, Victoria, British Columbia.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that creditors and others having claims against the estate of the above-named deceased are hereby required to send such claims to the undersigned executor at 1205 Government Street, Victoria, British Columbia, by the 17th day of January, 1968, after which date the executor will distribute the said estate amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the executor then has notice.

THE ROYAL TRUST COMPANY,
Executor.

By its Solicitors,
Messrs. Clay, Macfarlane, Ellis & Popham.

Youth Jailed For Attack On Teacher

WINNIPEG (CP) — Donald Paul Letendre, 16, of Winnipeg was sentenced to nine months in jail Wednesday for his part in beating a school teacher during a class at General Wolfe School.

Letendre pleaded guilty to the charge which was laid after two youths entered a classroom Oct. 11 and assaulted teacher Max Pronin. Court was told Letendre pinned the teacher's arms while his companion hit Mr. Pronin in the face and stomach.

A 17-year-old youth is in the custody of juvenile authorities.

Thirty students watched the assault.

In passing sentence, Magistrate Isaac Rice said: "This boy and hundreds of his type have no supervision by a father. I can't punish the father and he is actually the one who should be punished."

The magistrate also suggested teachers are too lax in disciplining students.

"Maybe they should revert to the strap and get away from this cream puff society we've got right now."

Meteor Show Reached Peak On Wednesday

A shower of meteors radiating from the Gemini constellation reached its peak at 5 p.m. Wednesday.

The Geminids shower is an annual occurrence caused when the earth passes through a swarm of small particles around the sun.

The particles enter the earth's atmosphere. Sometimes the streaks they make are quite long and can be seen by the naked eye.

But the full moon makes viewing more difficult because the bright sky makes it harder to distinguish them.

Astronomer Frank Young of the Dominion Astrophysical Laboratory says they are called the Geminids meteor shower because they appear to originate from the direction of the Gemini constellation.

"But in actual fact they have nothing to do with the stars in that consellation," says Mr. Young.

"The shower is interesting because it gives astronomers an idea of the amount of material around the sun, but it has no unusual significance."

Tot Drowns in Tank

LANGLEY, B.C. (CP)—Marvin Chubey, three, drowned Tuesday night when he fell into a greenhouse septic tank near his home. He was found by a search party in this Fraser Valley town.

4 Scouts Get Queen's Badges In Same Troop

Belmont Park district's 7th Juan de Fuca scout troop has earned an unusual honor—four troop members received their Queen's Scout badges at the same time.

The four boys were presented with the awards before 250 persons at a group banquet Sunday. To make the occasion complete, the troop and group committee chipped in to present them with Queen's Scout rings as well.

Gerald George, 15, received the Red and White Cord (for earning 12 proficiency badges) in addition to scouting's highest award at the ceremony.

The other badges were presented to Vern Cornish, recently moved to Esquimalt, and brothers Kerry, 14, and Dean Williams, 16, of 256 Zealous.

Two of the boys have since moved up in scouting, with Gerald going to a Venturer's group and Dean joining a Rover crew in the Belmont Park area.

New flags for the local Venturer's group and Rover crew were also dedicated at the banquet.

Man Fined $350 As Impaired

George Ferguson, 41, of 3708 Tillicum, was fined $350 in central court today when he pleaded guilty to impaired driving.

Ferguson was arrested at 3:15 a.m. today after police observed the car he was driving weaving slowly along Yates St.

The accused told the court he had only "a few drinks" but that he worked all night the previous night and then straight through the day and was short of sleep.

'TOWN FOOL' PUT TO WORK IN THE BUSH

VANCOUVER (CP) — Joachim Foikis, Vancouver's self-appointed town fool, went to work for the city parks department Wednesday — in a hand-painted city-owned fool's suit.

Foikis, a familiar sight outside the Vancouver court house where he dispenses witticisms, limericks and philosophical odds and ends for free, was collared for more or less permanent employment by the city's social welfare department.

He has been on welfare for two weeks. Under a department program, all physically fit welfare recipients are offered work. Foikis will spend his time clearing park bush trails.

Prior to reporting for duty, he painted his hard hat and rubber rain clothing isssued by the city a bright red and blue—his "town fool colors."

Clock Reward For Work With CNIB

A former Saskatchewan resident living in Victoria was presented Tuesday with a braile clock in recognition of his 31 years of service for the Canadian National Institute for the Blind.

Oliver Burton, 999 Haywood Way, received the gift at a luncheon in his honor hosted by Douglas Abbott, chairman of the Victoria branch of the CNIB, at the Victoria Golf Club.

A present of the Saskatchewan Divsion, the clock was presented by R. C. Purse, superintendant of the B.C.-Yukon Division, CNIB.

Mr. Burton had worked for the blind and the prevention of blindness for 31 years in the prairie province before moving to Victoria in September.

In 1936 he joined the advisory board of the South Saskatchewan district. He was nominated to the board of management in 1961.

He became one of the four Saskatchewan representatives to the national council of the CNIB in 1962.

During his years of service, Mr. Burton served as chairman of the placement committee in charge of canteens and as chairman of the building committee for maintaining the Institute's service centre in the South Saskatchewan region.

He was also active in assisting with the annual picnic for the blind, and played Santa Clause at Christmas dinners for many years.

In addition to his CNIB work, Mr. Burton has been active with Lion's club work and the Canadian Cancer Society.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

BAY MEADOWS

FIRST RACE—$2,500, claiming ($1600), three-year-olds and up, mile and one-sixteenth:
Triumph V. (A. Goldsmith) 114
Shock Petrify (J. Valenzuela) 110
Miss Frizby (C. Gonzalez) 109
Fleet Event (W. Freeman) 114
Sanang (J. Pianas) 105
Athy (G. Taniguchi) 114
Solid Run (R. Caballero) 107
Iron Tony (P. Frey) 114
Trucktion (D. Sanchez) 114
Canasta (A. Madrid) 110
Huckster (M. Volzke) 110
Manalyte (A. Valenzuela) 114
King Scorpion (R. York) 114
Space Agent (A. Valenzuela) 114
Clova Jean (A. Pineda) 111
Diana Tam (K. Steed) 114

SECOND RACE — $2500, claiming ($2000), three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:
Slick Philips (A. Maese) 114
Easter Sam (M. Valenzuela) 117
Oregon Peck (L. Knowles) 114
Ballyor (R. Garcia) 109
Yentuhc (W. Harris) 114
Step Quickley (J. Gonzalez) 106
Terry's Mark (A. Perez) 114
Southmayde (P. Frey) 117
Darling Judy (W. Freeman) 114
Easy Joe (G. Hernandez) 114
Jerry Flynn (A. Goldsmith) 114
Brother Boggs (R. Yaka) 117
Sigh Lotti (L. Pierce) 114
Spring Affair (P. Frey) 114
Chuck Marr (J. Gonzalez) 109
Rededication (A. Pineda) 114

THIRD RACE—$3000, claiming ($6250-$6500), two-year-olds, mile and one-sixteenth:
Crystal Mountain (P. Frey) 117
Tudor Bear (M. Volzke) 111
Petison (J. Gonzalez) 107
Our Ripple Rock (R. Garcia) 114
Clever Question (L. Knowles) 114
Innisprize (A. Perez) 117
Desert Knolls (W. Harris) 112
Campusville (R. York) 114
Ventura (A. Pineda) 117
Mr. Profusion (R. Yaka) 117
Yakima Princess (L. Pierce) 114
Niccolorb (R. Caballero) 114
Surrey Magic (P. Frey) 112
Sherrys Charm (W. Harmatz) 115
Silky Touch (R. Garcia) 106
Breeze Well (R. Yaka) 114

FOURTH RACE — $2800, claiming ($3200), three-year-olds, six furlongs:
Gamblers Alibhai (R. Hyder) 109
Miss Demuir (J. Gonzalez) 109
Mercair (J. La Guardia) 109
Rahjee (R. Yaka) 114
Mcabe (L. Knowles) 114
Nico Drag (P. Frey) 120
Precipitlad (M. Volzke) 114
Remember Me Now (C. Pianas) 109
Circle Mack (W. Freeman) 114
Moody Mark (W. Harris) 114
Mr. Gillie (A. Pineda) 114
Red Peck (R. York) 114
Hal o' Wings (A. Montero) 109

FIFTH RACE—$2800, claiming ($7500), two-year-olds, six furlongs:
Sir Lampo (D. Velasquez) 114
Ornado (B. Jennings) 120
Cocid (H. Hawkenson) 111
Woo Lung Wong (P. Frey) 117
El Graz (no boy) 114
Persian Battler (L. Knowles) 117
Moriran (R. Yaka) 111
Pajone's Dett (J. Gonzalez) 106
Rich Ground (R. York) 114
Star Performer (R. Garcia) 109
Earl Le Duc (W. Harris) 114
Rosy Mist (A. Valenzuela) 111
North Bound (R. Caballero) 114
A King Scheme (D. Giacomelli) 117

SIXTH RACE—$6000, allowance, two-year-old fillies, six furlongs:
A-Grissa (R. Yaka) 115
A-Polite (R. Yaka) 115
Too Angri (R. Garcia) 107
Upper Section (R. Caballero) 112
Missy Margie (W. Harmatz) 115
Thessaliann (A. Madrid) 115
Marshall Moon (J. Palomino) 115
Sassie Eagle (A. Montero) 107
Speedy's Lover (C. Gozalez) 107
Fair Ride (A. Pineda) 118
Ollie's Gal (D. Sanchez) 112
A—Entry.

SEVENTH RACE — $6000, allowance, two-year-olds, six furlongs:
Senor Bonito (A. Pineda) 115
Binbra (W. Harmatz) 118
Judgelyn (P. Frey) 115
Never Gronuded (A. Perez) 115
Sir Kent (C. Tohill) 115
Tragea (M. Valenzuela) 115
Little Dancer (A. Maese) 118
Wingo Lea (W. Harris) 118

EIGHTH RACE — $7500, allowance, three-year-old fillies, six furlongs:
Son Julio (H. Hawkenson) 113
Miss Hemp (A. Pineda) 113
Silk 'n' Set (R. Garcia) 108
Linny Joy (A. Valenzuela) 113
Whirling Tazerbo (B. Jennings) 113
Bunny Wife (C. Palomino) 113
A-Indian Liz (R. York) 113
Lisa Fleet (J. Gonzalez) 114
Silver Tam (D. Velasquez) 113
Kenetta (C. Tohill) 113
Moonie May 113 (R. Yaka) 113
Lark's Beauty (M. Valenzuela) 113
A-Alibhai's Maid (J. Palomino) 113
A—Entry.

NINTH RACE—$3000, claiming ($3200), three-year-olds, one mile:
Amabar (A. Valenzuela) 111
Anne Levee (W. Freeman) 111
Fleet Ala (no boy) 114
Solid Upset (B. Jennings) 114
Surrey Lane (A. Pineda) 114
Bankruptcy (A. Maese) 114
May Hope (R. Garcia) 106
Ground Spirit (L. Knowles) 114
St. Helena Rose (M. Volzke) 111
Lonesome Eddie (R. Yaka) 114
Dellmation (D. Sanchez) 114
Slamaway (J. Gonzalez) 109
El-Que-Gana (M. Volzke) 114
Sully's Troll (D. Giacomelli) 117

SELECTIONS

1. Triumph V., Huckster, Iron Tony.
2. Easter Sam, Brother Boggs, Darling Judy.
3. Innisprize, Crystal Mountain, Mr. Profusion.
4. Nico Drag, Precipitlad, Mcabe.
5. Sir Lampo, Rich Ground, Moran.
6. Polite, Missy Margie, Fair Ride.
7. Binbra, Never Grounded, Sir Kent.
8. Bunny Wife, Son Julio, Miss Hemp.
9. Bankruptcy, St. Helena Rose, Solid Upset.

ONE BEST — Nico Drag.

THE PM RESIGNING?? OH, THE OTTAWA PM!

Sometimes social climbing boomerangs and it did today for the British Columbia cabinet.

At least one minister went white and limp when asked bluntly: "Have you any comment on the prime minister's sudden announcement he is resigning?"

Resources Minister Ray Williston recovered from his obviously traumatic shock when the reporter added finally: "theirs—not ours."

"You had me floored," he admitted with relief.

"I knew I was acting minister of finance but I didn't know I had hold of this."

Mr. Williston and other ministers have prominently displayed their cabinet solidarity in recent weeks by referring to Premier Benentt as "the prime minister".

Constantine Fourth Ruler Ousted by Military Coup

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The Greek monarchy was born 137 years ago when the leading powers of Europe created it and made a foreigner king. For 15 of the years since, the monarch was abolished, and King Constantine II is the fourth ruler to be ousted by a military coup.

Except for the first king, a Bavarian, all the Greek monarchs have been descendants of the Danish royal family. Constantine's wife, Anne-Marie, was a Danish princess before marriage.

Constantine and his family fled to Rome today, and the military dictatorship which took over Greece last April 21 named Lt.-Gen. George Zoitakis regent, the title usually given to someone who rules for an incapacitated monarch or for a minor until he is of age to assume the throne.

The junta's appointment of a regent could mean it ostensibly is holding the throne for Constantine's seven-months-old son, Crown Prince Paul.

The Greek monarchy was launchad in 1830 when the Ottoman Turks were ousted from Greece and the country became a protectorate of European powers.

BAVARIAN REIGNS

The powers installed Otho, a young Bavarian prince, as king. An army coup in 1862 removed him and civil war followed. In a plebiscite, the Greeks chose Prince Alfred, a son of Queen Victoria of Britain, as their next king. But Russia and France objected, and young Prince William of Denmark was made King George I of Greece in 1863.

King George reigned for nearly 50 years until his assassination in 1913—the longest period of stability the monarchy has known. Constantine I, his son and a victorious general in a Balkan war the year before, succeeded him.

Public opposition to his pro-German views forced Constantine I to abdicate during the First World War. A son, Alexander, was crowned but lived only three more years.

Constantine returned as king after a plebiscite, but a disastrous military campaign against Turkey led to an army coup that ousted him and raised George II, another son, to the throne.

COUP CREATES REPUBLIC

Still another coup followed. Plebiscites in 1924 and 1935 created and ended a Greek republic. Then George II returned, this time with rightist Gen. John Metaxas as his supporter and strongman.

Mextaxas died fighting the Germans in the Second World War and the king went into exile. Resistance to the Nazis was left largely to Communists and other anti-monarchist groups.

After the war, sentiment against the return of King George grew among Greek leftists. Then a four-year civil war with the Communists broke out. In a plebiscite from which the Communists abstained, King George was invited back to the throne for the third time.

He died in 1947 and his brother Paul became king. Paul and Queen Frederika, a German princess who as queen mother still is disliked by some Greeks, survived a clash with Premier Constantine Caramanlis in 1963 over a royal trip to Britain. Caramanlis resigned when the king refused to cancel the visit because of demonstrations by Greek exiles.

A year later, Paul died after an operation for a stomach ulcer. His 23-year-old son, Constantine II, became the world's youngest reigning monarch.

EVENTS LEADING TO COUNTERCOUP

By United Press International

Here is a diary of significant events in Greece leading up to Wednesday's countercoup against the military junta which seized power last April 21:

—June 25, 1965: Prime Minister George Papandreou resigned after King Constantine refuses to allow him to fire Defence Minister Petros Garoufalias and assume the post himself. Speculation grows that Papandreou made the bid to protect his U.S.-educated son, Andreas, from prosecution in connetion with the left-wing "ASPIDA" officers' plot against Constantine.

—April 21, 1967: Military seizes power after succession of weak governments fail to pull nation's splintered political factions together. General election had been scheduled for May 28.

—Sept. 11: During North American visit, King Constantine tells group of U.S. senators "it's not my government."

—Sept. 27: Panayotis Kanellopoulos, prime minister at the time of the April coup, denounces regime as authoritarian and calls for political freedom.

—Oct. 2: Junta places Kanellopoulos under arrest.

—Oct. 18: Government puts 38 young Greeks on trial for alleged crimes said to be part of a communist conspiracy against the regime.

—Oct. 20: Junta gives pledge of restoration of constitutional order. Deadline for restoration conspiciously absent.

—Oct. 30: Ministers of labor, public works, industry and justice resign. All were civilians. King and Junta battle behind scenes over whether military men or civilians should replace them.

—Nov. 3: Prime Minister Kollias takes oath of office as interim foreign minister as controversy grows between him and Junta.

—Nov. 15: Greek Cypriot forces killed 26 Turkish Cypriots in village fighting in Cyprus, touching off weeks of crisis over the disputed island. By week's end Greece and Turkey have mobilized and are staring down their gunbarrels at each other along the Greaco-Turkish frontier.

Meanwhile, 32 alleged members of Antiregime "Patriotic Front" including "Zorba the Greek" composer Mikis Theodorakis, go on trial. Theodorakis, under medical treatment, unable to appear. He was to face later trial.

—Nov. 29: After nearly two weeks of mediation by United Nations, United States, and other diplomatic envoys, Greece and Turkey reported in agreement on package of terms to end Cyprus crisis. Terms generally a blow to Greek prestige, including withdrawal of 9,000 Greek troops illegally on Cyprus.

—Dec. 10, the royal couple went to Larisa to observe military manoeuvres, putting the king on the scene for a counter-revolution.

—Dec. 13: King leads a revolt and appeals for people to help "restore democracy."

—Dec. 14: Constantine flies to Rome with his family and the military Junta announces his revolt is smashed.

Senate Rebuffs Student Bid

University of Victoria students have been stalled in their latest move to gain a voice in university policy matters.

The university senate Wednesday rejected a resolution which would have endorsed the principle of student membership in the group.

The 28-man body makes most academic decisions, ranking second to the board of governors which sets financial policy.

Uvic students have been asking for representation on the senate for over a year. The University of Victoria is the only campus in B.C. where students do not sit on the senate.

David McLean, president of the students' council, who with council vice-president Frank Frketich made the presentation, said the senate refused to consider the resolution.

Members felt it was improper to influence in any way the committee on university government which is formulating recommendations on changing the university's decision-making structure, said Mr. McLean.

AWAIT OUTCOME

And the committee is awaiting the outcome of an investigation into last spring's student-faculty unrest over the dismissal of three faculty members.

Senior faculty men have expressed support for student senators recently but the narrow defeat of a similar motion by the faculty association last June indicates there is still considerable opposition on campus.

The move would be in line with recommendations made in the Duff-Berdahl report on Canadian university government. Published in March of 1966, it said unhealthy tensions in many university would grow worse unless sweeping changes were made.

Among other things, it proposed a student role in decision-making including representation on senates.

Five Canadian universities now have students on their senates and seven others have announced their senates will be opened to students.

Ferry Service Assurances Welcomed

Two civic leaders along the Haida Route came away from a 90-minute interview with Premier Bennett Wednesday convinced he meant it when he announced the Queen of Prince Rupert will be returned to service permanently March 28.

Prince Rupert Mayor Peter Lester and Campbell River Reeve Kenneth McDonald met with the premier after arriving for an appointment with B.C. Ferry Authority general manager Monty Aldous.

"We were two innocent people from Campbell River and Prince Rupert down here to ask a simple question: what's going to happen to our ferry service?" said Mayor Lester

"We got the answer and now we're going back with joy in our hearts."

But he added he was reserving judgment on the premier's assurances that the ferry would remain on the run the year-round except for annual refits of up to two months each winter.

"I'm satisfied the premier is sincere and the service will be re-instituted on a permanent basis," said Reeve McDonald.

'King Will Call If He Wants Me'

PARIS (UPI)—Former Greek Defence Minister Petros Garoufalias appeared to be taken by surprise today at reports the failed counter-coup in Greece had named him to head a government.

Garoufalias said he had "no contact" with King Constantine after leaving Athens on vacation Nov. 25.

"If the king wants me, he will call me," Garoufalias said. "It is not up to me to contact him."

He would not comment on the coup attempt or Constantine's flight to Rome. He said he was seeking further information on the situation.

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that, and for the opportunity to serve my country through the party, I will always be deeply grateful.

I would like to ask you, as president of the Liberal Federation of Canada, to take at once the necessary steps to organize a national convention at an appropriate place and time. Until that convention has chosen my successor I will, of course, continue to serve as leader of the party.

Yours sincerely,
L. B. Pearson,
Prime Minister.

CUTTER NEARS CRIPPLED SHIP

JUNEAU, Alaska (AP) — The United States Coast Guard cutter Storis, from Kodiak, was expected to reach the crippled 492-foot American freighter Steel Flyer in the North Pacific today.

The ship, owned by the Isthmian Lines, New York, and carrying a crew of 45, radioed Tuesday she lost her rudder and rudder post.

The 'Thing' May Be Russian Sub

HMCS Qu'Appelle docked in Esquimalt dockyard at 8 a.m. today after a classified assignment in water where Russian trawlers have been recently observed.

The destroyer-escort returned from a five-day patrol about 24 hours after HMCS Saskatchewan was sent out on a mission of similar secrecy.

Some unofficial naval spokesmen said Saskatchewan had relieved Qu'Appelle on the same mission.

Officially the navy has said little. But Rear Admiral J. A. Charles was to address a press conference this afternoon on the nature of the mission.

A check with navy, air force and coast guard officials at U.S. Pacific Northwest bases today also revealed little of an official nature.

But it was reported that extensive anti-submarine patrols are now being maintained by the U.S. Navy at present all along the coast, as far north as the Aleutians where a major anti-sub operation is centred at Adak.

Reports Unfounded

OTTAWA (CP)—A series of reports claiming importers have broken the embargo against Rhodesian products have all been unfounded, Prime Minister Pearson told the Commons Wednesday. He said revenue department officials now are investigating new reports that tobacco and other products are coming in despite the ban.

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See Yesterday's Paper for Details

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